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Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

LISBON, January 4.

THE King having much at Heart the Extenſion of our Trade to the Eaſt-Indies, hath with that View granted to the Sieur Oldenbourgh, who farms the Duty on Tobacco in Portugal, an excluſive Privilege to ſend five Ships to Macao in China; the firſt of which will ſail the Beginning of next Month, the ſecond in 1756, and of the remaining three one every other Year. The Conditions of this Charter are, That Oldenbourgh ſhall carry over at his Expence the Biſhop of Macao; that he ſhall touch at no Ports in the Eaſt-Indies, excepting thoſe of China; that on returning home, he may put in at the Braſils, to repair his Veſſel, or take in freſh Proviſions, but muſt not diſpoſe of the ſmalleſt Article in the Way of Trade; that a Deduction of Four per Cent. ſhall be made in the Duty of the Goods he carries out; but that thoſe he brings home, and that remain in the Kingdom, ſhall pay the ordinary Duty, and ſuch as are re-exported a Duty of Four per Cent. And finally, that, in Conſideration of this Charter, eight Millions of Reis ſhall be paid by Oldenbourgh to the King for the firſt Ship he ſends out, and Ten Millions for each of the others.

His Majeſty has alſo granted to the Sieur Oldenbourgh an exclufive Charter for ſending eleven Ships to Goa in ten Years, viz, two of 300 Tons each in 1754, and one of 700 Tons every Year till 1763. The principal Conditions of this laſt Charter are, That there ſhall be on board the ſmall Veſſels only one foreign Pilot or Maſter, and on board the larger Veſſels two, who ſhall be obliged to inſtruct the Portugueſe in the Art of working a Ship; that the ſmaller Veſſels ſhall carry over 100 Soldiers, and the larger 200, the King paying 60,000 Reis for the Freight of each Soldier, and 120,000 for each Officer, that ſhall be landed alive at Goa: That they ſhall carry over Gratis the warlike Stores which the King may have Occaſion to ſend to Goa; that the Merchandiſe they bring home ſhall pay the Duties both at Goa and Liſbon: That the Veſſels may trade from Goa to the ſeveral Ports in India, taking their Departure for Europe from Goa; that in coming home, they may touch at the Braſils under the ſame Reſtrictions, nevertheleſs, as the Ships from Macao: And finally, that Oldenbourgh, in Conſideration of this Charter, ſhall pay to the King eight Millions of Reis for each Veſſel, reckoning the two ſmall Ones but for One.

As the Execution of this vaſt Enterprize will require conſiderable Sums, the Merchants are invited to join with him, and form a Company, divided into Actions, of Shares, of 480,000 Reis each. Oldenbourgh reſerves to himſelf the Right of being ſole Caſhier and Director General; ſo that the Members of the Company muſt empower him to act for them, and ſuffer the Trade to be carried on in his Name. In Conſequence of this independent Adminiſtration and Direction of the Company and its Capital, he is to buy the Ships and their Cargoes, to ſtation and ſend them out, fix the Time of the Sales, and ſettle the Dividends. He is alſo to have the Nomination of all the Officers both on board the Ships and on Shore, deducting Three per Cent. for the Payment of their Salaries. The Proprietors of Stock may transfer their Shares, giving the Company the firſt Offer, but cannot draw them out.

Paris, Feb. 18. Various Reports concerning the Affairs of the Parliament ſtill prevail, ſo that we know not what to depend on: However, it is certain that the Prince of Conti ſtill endeavours to bring about an Accommodation, and for this Purpoſe frequently confers with the moſt learned and moderate of our Biſhops.

By all Appearances the Cargoes of the firſt Ships expected from India will not be ſo conſiderable as hath been imagined. The Arguſon, one of the five expected by the India Company laſt Year, which had ſailed from the Iſle of Bourbon, was condemned as ſoon as ſhe arrived at Port-Maurice, as unfit for Service; and ſo was the Baleine, homeward bound from China. The Bourbon, from Bengal, after having with great Difficulty doubled the Cape of Good Hope, for Want of Hands, met with the St. Louis, bound to India, who turned over to her fifty of her Crew. The Anſon from Pondicherry, is in Danger of being condemned; ſo that the Cargoes of thoſe Ships muſt be laid up in Warehouſes till they can be brought to Europe in other Veſſels.

Within theſe few Days the Curate of St. Nicholas des Champs refuſed the Sacraments to a ſick Man, becauſe he would not tell him the Name of his Confeſſor: At the ſecond Summons to declare it, the ſick Man died; and now it is thought the Chatelet will commence a Proſecution againſt the Pariſh Prieſt. From Langres and Troyes we have Accounts of the like Offences committed by Curates of thoſe Places; and we plainly perceive that ſuch Things will daily happen, while the Parliament of this Metropolis remains in Exile.

Warſaw, Feb. 1. Count Branicky, Great General of the Crown Army, has cauſed three Thouſand Horſe to march into the Lands of the Ordinatia of Oſtrog, which are ſituated towards Volhinia, with Orders to remain there proviſionally in Garriſon, and to obſerve the ſtricteſt Diſcipline, as the ſole Deſign of this Diſpoſition is to preſerve the publick Tranquility, and to prevent any Infringement of the Laws of the Kingdom by the Enterprize mentioned in former Accounts. Count Roſtkowſky, one of our oldeſt general Officers, has the chief Command of this Detachment, Part of which, under Major General Count Monkranoſky, has already occupied the Town of Dubno. The Troops that garriſoned that Place, far from making the leaſt Reſiſtance, immediately took the Oath of Allegiance to the King and the Republick, and at the ſame Time ſwore to obey whatever Orders they might receive from the Great General of the Crown Army.

Straſbourgh, Feb. 2. A Perſon has lately diſcovered a Secret, by Means of which he undertakes, out of 100 lb. Weight of common Salt, to make the ſame Weight of good Saltpetre; and having ſucceeded in a Trial which he lately made of his Experiment before ſeveral Perſons, the Court has engaged him to eſtabliſh his new Invention in this Neighbourhood, and to ſupply all the Magazines in the Kingdom with Saltpetre for 40 Years; and, to enable him to carry on his Work, the Court has advanced him 200,000 Livres.

The Duke of Bavaria has followed the Example of the Kings of Pruſſia and Sicily, by ordering a new Body of Laws to be drawn up for his Dominions, in which all imaginable Care has been taken to prevent the Protracting of Law-ſuits to the Ruin of the Suitors; and it is thought the Example will be followed by all the States of Europe, where the Lawyers have not a commanding Influence.

An Extract of a Letter from the Hague, dated Feb. 10.

"There is no Artifice which the Court of France has not made Uſe of, to diſguſt the Duke of Modena with the Alliance he has entered into with the Court of Vienna. It has been inſinuated to him, that the Poſt of Adminiſtrator of the Regency of a minor Prince is beneath his Dignity. They have endeavoured to perſuade him, that he would run the Riſk of becoming a Slave to the Miniſtry of Vienna, if he received Auſtrian Troops into the ſtrong Places of his Dutchy. But he does not ſeem to have been induced, by theſe Inſinuations, to alter in the leaſt his Syſtem, being thoroughly perſuaded that theſe Troops will be neceſſary to him, by preventing his Dominions from being invaded by thoſe of France, which may paſs through the State of Genoa, and the Parmeſan and Plaiſantine, in order to force him to renounce this Alliance; which will in all Probability defeat, if not prevent, at leaſt for the future, the Deſigns of the Miniſtry of Verſailles.

"Some Letters from the North adviſe, that the Provinces conquered by Ruſſia upon the South of Finland being overburthened, in order to form an Army ready to be employed when and wherever there ſhould be Occaſion, her Imperial Majeſty of Ruſſia had thought proper to cauſe ſome Regiments to march into the Northern Provinces of that Gulph, to be cantoned there; but, as it was to be feared that thoſe Powers who are endeavouring to ſtir up Contention in the North, would take Advantage of this Circumſtance to excite Diſtruſt at the Court of Sweden, her Imperial Majeſty has cauſed it to be declared to his Swediſh Majeſty, that ſhe had no other View in ordering this Motion of her Troops, than to eaſe the Inhabitants of Livonia and Ingria, and that as ſoon as the Seaſon would permit of an Encampment, thoſe Regiments ſhould march back into Livonia. It is to be wiſhed, in order to take away from the Enemies of Peace every Occaſion of ſetting Ruſſia and Sweden together by the Ears, that the Negociation which has been ſo long upon the Carpet for the Regulation of the Limits between the two States was concluded. Such a Regulation would put the laſt Hand towards re-eſtabliſhing a good Underſtanding between the two Nations, and it would be their reciprocal Intereſt to maintain it."

Vienna, Jan. 26. Veldt Marſhal Count de Neuperg, Governor of the Dutchy of Luxembourgh, has preſented to the Court a Plan which he has form'd for making this City impregnable, notwithſtanding there has been no Place which could hold out ſince Bombs have been invented.

Vienna, Feb. 9. They write from Buda, that the Soldiers of that Garriſon had lately more frequently deſerted than uſual; that after having enquired into the Reaſon of this extraordinary Deſertion, it was diſcovered that the Soldiers had been excited thereto by a Girl, who has been ſome Time in this Place, and who aſſiſted them in doing ſo. As the Crime of this Girl deſerved an exemplary Puniſhment, ſhe had an Iron Collar put about her Neck, and was condemned to work ten Years on the Fortifications, with Irons upon her Hands and Feet.

Franckfort, Feb. 16. Letters from Alſace adviſe, that the Jews have offered to furniſh 2800 Horſes for the Uſe of the Regiments that are in Want of them, and to ſend them as ſoon as they are ordered to Metz.

Extract of a Letter from Rotterdam, dated March 5.

"A few Days ſince, two Men carried a large Baſket into the Houſe of an honeſt Baker here, who had a Wife, but no Children; and deſiring it might remain there till they had tranſacted ſome Buſineſs in the next Street, they went away: But not returning agreeable to their Promiſe, the good Folks made bold to examine into the Contents of the Baſket; and found, to their great Surprize, a young Child, ſwathed in a rich Suit, with a Billet, recommending the Infant to their Care, and about 140 l. Sterling in Money. It may eaſily be imagined, how forcibly the Money pleaded in Favour of the deſerted Innocent."

LONDON.

February 28. *Letters from Rome of the 2d Inſtant, import, that two Expreſſes were arrived from Civita-Vecchia, with Advice that two Barbary Chebecks were cruizing within Sight of the Harbour, and four others a little further off: That they had taken a Neapolitan Bark from Procilla, and a Genoeſe Veſſel with ſeveral Paſſengers on board, particularly Father Lewis, a celebrated Capuchin Preacher, who had been ſent for to Novi, to preach during Lent. Theſe Letters add that the Infidels had made a Deſcent near Montalo, and carried off ſeveral Head of Cattle, and ſome of the Inhabitants.*

March 1. *Letters from Holland tell us, that the Erection of an Eaſt-India Company at Liſbon has been the Subject of much Converſation among the Merchants of Amſterdam, who have been very buſy in calculating, and valuing the Influence it may have on the Dutch Company. Some think it will hurt them conſiderably; but others are of Opinion that it will not affect their Trade in the leaſt.*

March 2. *Private Advices inform us, that the Subſidy Treaty between France and Denmark is renewed. France engages by this new Treaty to uſe her good Offices with Spain, to open again the Ports of that Kingdom to the Danes; but her Endeavours for this Purpoſe, tho' ſincere, have hitherto been ineffectual.*

At Conſtantinople the Propoſal for having Miniſters from the Grand Seignior at foreign Courts was brought again upon the Carpet a few Days ago in a Divan which his Highneſs convoked on Purpoſe to conſider of that Affair, when he deſired all the Baſhaws to give their Opinion concerning it. Several of them repreſented that it did not ſeem to be for the Advantage of the Ottoman Empire to have any cloſer Connection with the European Powers, and on the contrary, might tend to engage it in their Diſputes. The Conduct, ſaid they, which ought generally to be obſerved between the Porte and the Powers of Europe, may be reduced to two principal Points, viz. To procure a proper Reſpect to be ſhewed to the Ports at Sea, and to prevent any Thing from being done by Land to occaſion its Diſpleaſure: That, when any Infractions were likely to be made in either of theſe Caſes, they were generally known Time enough to get a thorough Knowledge concerning them, whereas Miniſters were often ſo attached to the Courts where they reſide, that they were induced to act very different from what they ought to do; and that therefore it was better the Porte ſhould have no Miniſter at the Court where any Miſunderſtanding ſhould happen, than to have one who might expoſe her to receive ſuch a Satisfaction as might be unbecoming her Dignity.

We have Advice from Rochfort, that they are fitting out the Hermoine, the Nymph, and the Mutine Frigates, which are to be employed againſt the Barbary Corſairs; and that they have equipt the Royal Chariot and Rhinoceros Men of War, with the Chevette and Sophia Frigates, of which the two firſt will forthwith ſet ſail for Martinico, the third for Canada, and the laſt for the Iſle of Cayenne.

March 5. *Laſt Week a Female having carried her Adonis to May-Fair, to be coupled, at the Door of the Chapel he told her, that he had not Money enough in his Pocket to defray the Expences; upon which ſhe pulled out her Purſe, and gave him a Guinea; but there being ſeveral Perſons in the Chapel, whoſe Turn it was to be married before them, he framed an Excuſe to go out, and went off, leaving her to lament the Loſs of a Huſband and her Money.*

March 8. *By a private Letter from Holland we underſtand, that the young Stadtholder and his Siſter, the Princeſs Caroline, went lately to ſee an old Woman of 104, who lives at the Hague. His Highneſs aſked her a great many Queſtions, and particularly by what Means ſhe had attained to ſo long a Life? to which ſhe anſwered, by living temperately, and being always in a good Humour. His Highneſs at his Departure gave her a Rouleau of Ducats.*

Extract of a Letter from Toulouze, Feb. 12.

"The ſchiſmatical Procedure, of which we promiſed an Account laſt Poſt, contains the following Particulars:

M. de la Croze, a Prieſt who holds a Benefice in our Cathedral Church, and was formerly a Vicar of St. Stephen's Pariſh, falling ſick ſome Days ago, ſent Notice to a Vicar, named Saintous, to come and viſit him. The 8th Inſtant the Vicar came to M. de la Croze, who then demanded the Viaticum, which the other promiſed to bring him the next Morning. M. Collet, another Vicar, who muſt needs perform this Office himſelf, accordingly carried the Sacrament. As ſoon as he had entered the ſick Man's Chambers, he demanded of him a Profeſſion of his Faith, which M. de la Croze immediately complied with, rehearſing the Creed with great Calmneſs, and an audible Voice. Then Collet aſked him, 'Whether he was obedient to the Deciſions of the Church without Diſtinction?' and was anſwered in the Affirmative: Upon which the Vicar ſubjoined, 'To all, Sir?' M. de la Croze, being then ſenſible of the Vicar's Drift, replied ingeniouſly, and without any Heſitation, 'That he did not look upon the Bull Unigenitus as a Deciſion of the Church, ſince the Parliament had thought fit to invalidate it by Modifications.' Whereupon Collet ſaid, that 'ſaving the Reſpect he owed to the Parliament, the Bull did not fall under their Cognizance; and that four Biſhops having ſtood out againſt it, did not hinder its being a Rule of Faith:' At the ſame Time he deſired the By-ſtanders to bear Witneſs, that M. de la Croze himſelf had firſt mentioned the Bull; and ſo he withdrew, without giving him the Viaticum. The ſame Day, about Eleven in the Morning, the Curate arrived from Montpelier, where he had been to pay his Reſpects to our new Archbiſhop, as alſo to his Benefactor the Archbiſhop of Narbonne. At Four in the Afternoon the Curate was required to adminiſter the Sacrament, or cauſe it to be adminiſtred to M. de la Croze; but inſtead of complying with the Deſire of that worthy Eccleſiaſtick, he ran immediately to the firſt Preſident, in order to vindicate the ſcandalous Conduct of the Sieur Collet. However, one of the Counſellors of the Parliament laid the Affair Yeſterday before the Grand Chamber; and, after long Debates, the Attorney-General left his Concluſions in Writing on the Table, 'requiring, that the Complaint for the Scandal given, ſhould be received and inquired into.' Nine Witneſſes have already been heard, and it is expected that the Parliament will iſſue an Arret To-morrow againſt Collet and the Curate."

Charles-Town (in South-Carolina) March 26.

Wedneſday laſt the Wind blew ſo hard at E. that the Veſſels which arrived off this Bar the Day before, tho' they had Pilots on board, could not get in; and ſeveral others were driven to the Southward; neither could any of the Pilot-Boats ſafely venture to Sea: Only Mr. Thomas Poole attempted it; and on Thurſday his Pumps, Cheſt, and ſome Pieces of his Boat, were driven aſhore near Fort Johnſon; it is not certainly known how ſhe was loſt, but it is ſuppoſed, that in endeavouring to go out at the Swaſh Bar, there being a great Swell, ſhe ſtruck, unhung her Rudder, and was beat to Pieces amongſt the Breakers: For a Day or two, we were in Hopes Mr. Poole might be on board ſome of the Veſſels driven by the Bar to the Southward; but on Sunday his Body was found on Folly-Iſland, ſtripp'd naked, lying on his Face, and his Arms extended, with a Part of his Boat's Deck, Pieces of a Maſt, Sail and Rigging, lying near him: He had with him a very valuable Negroe Fellow, and a white Apprentice, neither of which have been found. Mr. Poole had been in the Pilotage above 15 Years; gave ſuch uncommon Satisfaction by his Care and Diligence in his Buſineſs, that he was univerſally eſteemed; and ſo valuable for his Skill, being at the ſame Time a good Seaman as well as Pilot, that his Death may be juſtly deemed a great publick Loſs: He was alſo a moſt affectionate Huſband, a tender Parent, a good Maſter, and a beloved Neighbour; and has left a diſconſolate Widow, and Three Sons, to mourn his Loſs.

The Rebecca, Craig, from Glaſgow, loſt her Top-maſts in the above Gale of Wind. The Relief, Seymour, from Barbados, ſprung one of her Maſts, and received other Damage. And a Ship that arrived on Thurſday, came by a large Maſt.

On Thurſday arrived an Expreſs from Virginia, by whom we learn, That 300 Men, commanded by Col. Joſhua Fry, with ſome Cannon, Stores, &c. are ſent from thence, to make a Settlement on the River Obio, at the Fork of Monongahela, for the Security and Protection of the Inhabitants of that Colony, and to oppoſe any further Encroachments or hoſtile Attempts of the French and Indians in their Intereſt: That the French have erected Forts at 60, 30, 20, and 15 Miles Diſtance from each other, all the Way from Canada (near 800 Miles) down into the back Lands of Virginia, with 6 and 4 lb. Cannon, good Stores, and Garriſons in each, and Waggon Roads between ſome: That they daily expected a large Reinforcement of Men from Canada, with which they are to come further down the Obio early this Spring, to take Poſſeſſion of more Land, erect new Forts, and repel all Attempts to interrupt them; for tranſporting which Forces, Major Waſhington (who was ſent by Lieut. Governor Dinwiddie with a Letter to the Commandant) at the neareſt French Fort, ſaw 220 Canoes that were finiſhed, and many more block'd out: That the French Officers (of which there are many in each Fort) are very ſedulous in the Seduction of our Indians; that they take all the Engliſh Traders they can meet with, and ſend them Priſoners to Canada; while their Indians make Incurſions, murdering and ſcalping whole Families.

By the ſame Expreſs we learn, that, as he paſſed thro' North-Carolina, 10 Companies of 70 Men each, were raiſing there for the ſame Service, ſome of which were near compleat.

One of the Independant Companies here, is preparing to embark on board

board His Majesty's Snow Jamaica, Capt. Dubois, who will sail for Virginia the Beginning of next Week.

April 2. The Charming Nancy, of and from this Port, for London, (Capt. White) was spoke with in the Channel, in January last, very much disabled in a Gale of Wind she met with off the Banks of Newfoundland, about 6 Hours after she had taken up the Crew of a French Ship that had foundered.

There are now 53 Vessels in this Harbour, viz. 14 Ships, 16 Snows, 6 Brigantines, 6 Schooners, and 11 Sloops: And there arrived in the Course of the last Month 51 Sail, which has lowered Freights considerably.

WILLIAMSBURGH, March 29.

The Eliza, Capt. Morris, just arrived in James River, in Lat. 29. 03. N. Long. 24. 48. West from the Meridian of London, spoke on the 12th of February last, with the Rebecca Sloop of Newark, in New-England, Daniel Horne Commander, bound for the Coast of Africa, who had been out 51 Days, but all well on Board.

ANNAPOLIS, April 11.

We mentioned a few Weeks ago, that Absalom Butler, of Baltimore County, was committed to Goal there, on Account of a Man who died soon after a Fifty-Cuff Engagement between them; but at the Assize Court held in that County, last Week, there did not appear sufficient Evidence to the Grand-Jury to find a Bill against him; it appearing that the Man died of a Pleurisy; and Mr. Butler was honourably acquitted.

Last Tuesday was tried before the Judges of the Assize Court, then sitting here, a Cause, wherein M. L. Spinster, was Plaintiff, and P. D. Cooper, Defendant, for a Violation of a Promise of Marriage. And the Jury found for the Plaintiff, with Twenty Pounds Damages.

April 18. We have just heard, that Mrs. Brookes, a Widow Gentlewoman, near Upper Marlborough, fell suddenly into the Fire, and no Assistance being near, perished in the Flames.

BOSTON, April 22.

On the 13th Instant died at his own House in Charlestown, Robert Temple, Esq; a Gentleman of extensive Business, and great Usefulness: He was allow'd to understand Agriculture, or the Art of improving Land, better than most Men in this Country. His Remains were brought to this Town, and honourably interr'd, on Wednesday last.

Thursday last, between ten and eleven a Clock in the Forenoon, a terrible Fire happen'd in the westerly Part of this Town, which in a short Time intirely consum'd four or five large Dwelling-houses, with the greatest Part of the Furniture, &c. and as the Houses consisted of several Tenements, 'tis said near twenty Families are burnt out. The Wind was at North-west, it blew excessive hard, and the burning Shingles were carried by it over the Middle of the Town, which falling upon the Houses, set Abundance of them on Fire, so that the Inhabitants were alarm'd with the Cry of Fire, and continually running from one Place to another to extinguish it, which at last they happily effected, but not before several Buildings had suffer'd much Damage.

Some Days since a Vessel from the West of England arriv'd here: She was bound to Newfoundland on the Fishing Account, but met with such large Quantities of Ice, that she could not get in.

And we are inform'd, that several of our fishing Vessels have been drove from their Stations on the Banks by the Ice.

NEW-YORK, April 29.

Last Tuesday Morning, a Horse belonging to Oliver De Lancey, Esq; of this City, for a very considerable Wager, ran from one of our Palisadoe Gates to King's Bridge, and back again, which is upwards of 30 Miles: He was to perform it in two Hours, but accomplish'd it with great Ease in an Hour and 47 Minutes and a Half.

Last Thursday Night, between the Hours of nine and ten a Clock, as Martinus Cregier, of this City, was clearing the Topping-lift of his Boat, that had got foul of a Sloop's Bolsprit, some Words arose between him and one Patrick Creamer, belonging to said Sloop; when Creamer, with a Pole of about eight Feet long, struck Cregier above the Left-eye, which stunn'd him to such a Degree, that he fell directly into the Water; and notwithstanding all Means possible were used to get him out, he expir'd a few Minutes after. The Coroner's Inquest having sat on the dead Body, brought in their Verdict, Wilful Murder; and Creamer is now confin'd in our Goal.

Captain Pell, in 25 Days from St. Thomas, on Monday last spoke with Captain Fones, in a Brig from Rhode-Island to Barbados.

Capt. Nealson, in 34 Days from Barbados, advises, that Capt. Dorrington, in a Sloop from Elizabeth-Town, arriv'd at that Island two Days before he sailed from thence; and that the Captains Haviland and Williams of this Port, were to sail in a short Time after him, the former for Rhode-Island, and the latter for this Place.

By Capt. Stevenson, in 35 Days from the Bay, we learn, that the Spaniards continue their Hostilities against the Bay-men as much as ever, frequently taking their Craft in the New-River: He sailed in Company with Capts. Jones and Thomas, of this Port, Capt. Church, of Rhode-Island, and Capt. Newbold, of Bermuda, who were all obliged to go 70 Leagues out of their common Course, to avoid a Spanish Brig that was then, and had been for a considerable Time before, at Key Bokell, whose Cruize was very unsuccessful, she having taken nothing for a considerable Time. Capt. Stevenson left the following Vessels in the Bay; Captains Winthorp, White, Dunscomb, and Gildford, of this Port; Captain Serjeant, of Rhode-Island; and the Captains Alexander, Cathcart, Collum, and Adams, of Boston.

Captain Koffler, late of a Brig of this Port, is come Passenger in Capt. Stevenson, who, on the 14th of January last, was cast away upon the Grand Reef, near English Key, going into the Bay; the Vessel soon went to Pieces; and had they not been drove away by some Boats from the Spanish Brig above mentioned, they could have saved the greatest Part of the Cargo.

Custom-House, New-York, Inward Entries.

Sloop Biddeford, B. Donnell from Nova-Scotia. Sloop John, A. Williamson from N. Carolina. Sloop Mary, J. Pell from Virgin Islands. Sloop Fanny, P. Nealson from Barbados. Sloop Buckskin, A. Wilson from Antigua. Sloop Mary, D. Fenton from Cape Francois. Brig Charming Polly, J. Stevenson from the Bay.

Outwards. Sloop Diana, T. Jones for V. Islands. Schooner Polly, J. Seymour, for Barbados. Brig Pompey, R. Goodwin for Antigua. Sloop Herring, A. Cozzens, and Sloop Henry, J. Tucker for Jamaica.

Cleared. Schooner Delight, J. Richard, to Nova Scotia. Schooner Sea-nymph, E. Stiles to Montserrat. Sloop Elizabeth, W. Stewart to Port Yarmouth. Snow Mesopotamia, A. Rutgers to N. Castle. Brig William and Mary, J. Shoals to London.

PHILADELPHIA, May 2.

To the Printers of the GAZETTE.

As the following Extract of a Letter, from a Gentleman residing in one of the Colonies to the Northward, contains a more full and exact Account of the Armament sent last Summer from Canada, and of the pernicious Consequences that may attend the French settling on Ohio, than any I have as yet seen published, your inserting this in your next Week's Paper, may perhaps be agreeable to more of your Readers, than, Gentlemen,

Yours, &c.

" -------- *April* 8, 1754.

-------" I am extremely sorry to hear that the Governments of Pennsylvania, and Maryland, have not view'd the Encroachments of the French in their proper Light; or, if they have, that they won't exert themselves at this Time of imminent Danger. Should the French once gain a Settlement on Ohio, they will then have great Advantages over the Southern Colonies, as must be obvious to every Person the least acquainted with their Situation. In time of Peace between the two Crowns, they will continually be spiriting on the Indians in their Alliance, to murder and scalp the Inhabitants of your back Counties, in order to prevent the Extension of your Settlements; and, in time of War, how easy will it be for a Number of Troops, collected from their several Forts, or perhaps sent from Old France for that Purpose, to make a Descent upon some one or other of the Colonies. What then must be the Consequence!-----Unarm'd, and disunited as you are, will you be able to repel the Invaders, or prevent their ravaging and laying waste your Country, or hinder them from committing their too well known Barbarities on such of your Inhabitants as may fall within their Power? The evil Day may a while be put off, but sooner or later it will surely come, unless you rouse from the Lethargy you seem at present in, and make Use of those Means to protect yourselves which the Almighty has put in your Power; the most proper Way of doing which is, to obstruct those Incendiaries, the French and their Indians, from settling on your Frontiers. By a hearty Union of the Colonies, and proper Management, we might, with little Assistance from our Mother Country, not only dislodge the French from Ohio, but from Quebeck itself. But to send three or four Hundred Men, against five times their Number, can answer no other End than to expose us to the Contempt of our Indian Allies, who will think themselves obliged to quit the Interest of those that seem unable to protect them.

-------" You desire me to acquaint you with what I hear that may be depended on, concerning the Designs of the French, in sending so large a Number of Troops from Canada as they did the last Summer. In Answer to which I can inform you, that I have lately seen Mr. *B*----*r*, who was at Oswego at the Time their Forces passed by that Fort; who says, he learnt by sundry Deserters, and others, that Monsieur Duquisne, the new Governor General of Canada, a young Gentleman formerly a Captain of a Man of War, declares, he will have a French Fort on each of the Waters that empty themselves into St. Lawrence, or Missisippi; that he believes the late Governors of Canada have been all asleep, but that he will make every Officer under him know his Duty, and do it.-------That four or five Detachments were, during the last Summer, sent from Canada to the Ohio, making in the whole about 2000, besides Indians, under the Command of Monsieur Morin (or Morang, as some call him) whose Knowledge of the Indians recommended him to the new Governor for that Office. The Detachment that accompanied Morin, consisted of about 40 or 50 large Battoes, and Canoes, many of them supposed to carry more than 30 Men; they sailed within Musquet Shot of Oswego, without ever striking their Colours, and had their Trumpets blowing, Drums beating, &c. This was in Sight of many of the Six Nations, and foreign Indians, who could not sufficiently express their Surprize at such an Armament, and asked whether the English and French were not at Peace.------Some of these Troops return'd to Canada to Quarters during the Winter, but great Part of them were left, as is supposed, at the Forts on and near the Lakes, to be ready to go down the Ohio early in the Spring: Those that returned had with them the Pennsylvania Indian Traders so often mentioned to be taken by the French on Ohio; these poor Wretches were in Irons, and lodged a Night within a few Miles of Oswego. One of the famous Chiefs of the Cahuga Nation, proposed to some of the Traders to attack the French, and recover the Prisoners, but they could not muster a sufficient Party to do this.---------Monsieur Morin built two or three Forts, but many Disputes arising between him and his Officers, together with a severe Fit of the Gout, made him desire to quit his Command; for which Purpose, an Express was last September sent to Canada, and I suppose the Gentleman who writes to Governor Dinwiddie was made his Successor, who, if he exceeds Morin as much in Humanity as he does in Politeness, and Good Sense, may be of Service to those who have the Misfortune of being taken Prisoners in that Country.-------I saw Morin, and his Son, some Years ago in Canada; they have all the vain Airs of the French, joined with the Savageness of the Indians, without the least of the Politeness of the former, or native Simplicity and Grandeur of the latter. The Father commanded when the brave Donahew, Captain of one of the Boston Sloops, was decoyed ashore and killed; the Son was one of his Party: As Trophies of their Victory, the old Man shew'd me a Tobacco Pouch, which he, and the young Brute, let me know was made of the Skin of poor Donahew's Arm: The Father had also Donahew's Ring, which the Son acquainted me he cut the Finger off to get, as it would not come off easily. After this, I saw some of Donahew's Men who were Prisoners, they not only confirmed the above, but assured me the brutish Father did himself cut off several Pieces of their dead Captain's Flesh, and threw them into the Fire, and encouraged the Indians to do the like; and when they were roasted, the Cannibal Son, and sundry Indians, tore them with their Teeth.---------This may serve as a Specimen of the Neighbours you are now like to have."

Thursday last CHARLES WILLING, Esq; was elected Mayor of this City, for the Remainder of the Year, in the Room of the late THOMAS LAWRENCE, Esq; deceased.

The Schooner Argo, Captain Swaine, is sail'd on a second Attempt for the Discovery of the Northwest Passage.

The Ship Myrtilla, Captain Marsden, arriv'd here on Monday from London.

The Captains M'Clelland and Ross are arriv'd at Charles-Town, in South-Carolina, from this Port.

Saturday next the Ship Tryal, Captain Cuzzins, will certainly sail for London.

And on Monday the General Assembly of this Province meets here.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, INWARD ENTRIES.

Schooner Enterprize, John Baddely from South-Carolina.
---- Burwell, Thomas Bonwell from Virginia.
Brig Sally, James Haselton from South-Carolina.
Sloop Martha and Miriam, John Pine from Virginia.
Snow Ann, John Sibbald from Antigua.
Schooner Charming Peggy, Edmund Allen from Virginia.
---- Ann, Richard Justice from Ditto.
Sloop Patience, John Price from North-Carolina.
Brig Barbados Factor, Joseph Greenway from Ditto.
Sloop Harriot, William Borland from South-Carolina.
Schooner Abigail, Theophilus Cotton from Boston.
Ship Myrtilla, William Marsden from London.
Sloop Betsey, Robert Lockridge from New Providence.
---- Albert and James, John Ryan from North-Carolina.
---- Dolphin, John Turner from Ditto.
Brig Minerva, Enoch Hobart from Jamaica.

OUTWARDS.

Brig Penelope, William Greenway for Cork.
Sloop Abbey, Asher Mott for St. Kitts.
Brig Kensington, Humphry Clase for Halifax.
Schooner Chance, Francis Benson for Salem.
Snow Barbados Factor, Joseph Greenway for Cape-Fear.

CLEARED.

Ship Marlborough, Edward Dowers to Jamaica.
---- Liverpoole, Thomas Stamper to West-Indies.
Sloop Polly, Elisha Salter to Halifax.
Brig Princess Louisa, William Gardiner to West-Indies.
Ship Josephia, William Teage to Newfoundland.
Sloop Hester, William Murphy to Maryland..
Schooner Charming Peggy, Edmund Allen to Virginia.
Ship Lark, Thomas Callender to Madeira.
Sloop Fancy, Rudeman Robeson to South-Carolina.

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THE VOTES of the last Session of Assembly of the Province of Pennsylvania.

BENJAMIN PRICE, ATTORNEY at LAW,

GIVES Notice to all Persons that may have any Business with him, That he is removed from Front street, to Mr. Joseph Redman's, over against the Market, in Market street.

‡ Tbc. 6 W.

Imported by the Captains Southcott from Bristol, Gibbon and Marsden from London, and to be sold cheap, for cash, or short credit, by

RHEA and WIKOFF,

At their store near Carpenter's wharff, from whence Mr. John Groves, Merchant, lately removed,

BLack, blue and drab colour'd broad-cloths, black, blue, and scarlet everlastings, rattinets and shaloons, cloth and pink colour'd durants, white, black, blue and cloth colour'd calimancoes, green, blue and colour'd silk camblets, black and white bombazeens, silk poplins, black, white and cloth colour'd sattins, broad and narrow camblets, boiled ditto, silk hungarians, silk and worsted saggathies, double milled ditto, barragons, black lutestrings, white farrnets, broad and narrow persians, black and colour'd china taffeties, lutestring and roseat handkerchiefs, lungee and sciteroy romalls, boxes of cap lace, cloth, blue and pink colour'd tammies, colour'd pillows, white and cloth colour'd dy'd jeans, plain and figur'd duroys, ivory, bone, cocoa, and black fans, mens and womens gloves and mittens, mens and womens cotton and thread hose, 7-eights and yard-wide Irish linens, 9-eights sheeting ditto, white and brown ozenbrigs, 3-qr. dowlas, 3-qr. and 7-eights garlix, 7-eights tandem double silesias, yard-wide ditto, broad and packet lawns, clear'd French, spotted and flower'd ditto, demy cambrieks, long lawns, white, flower'd and plain gauze, pinky purple, and colour'd gimps for ditto, buckrams, clouting diaper, diaper and damask tablecloths, an assortment of calicoes, fine chints patches, grandurels, nankeens, 6-qr. muslins, napkening huckabacks, white cotton counterpains, culgee handkerchiefs, light and cloth colour'd sewing silks, white three thread ditto, buttons and hair, breast and head figur'd ribbons, black and cloth colour'd sattin and paduasoy ditto, Scots and colour'd threads, gilt and plain sconces, double flint glass ware in small boxes, felt hats, FF powder, lead, shot, and pewter, 8 by 10, and 7 by 9, crown glass in half boxes, and an assortment of cutlary and hard ware, &c. &c. &c.

To be SOLD,

A Likely Negro man, about 22 years of age, and understands plantation work; he hath had the small-pox and measles. Enquire of Thomas Wills, of Lower-merion, near John Roberts's mill. §

Just imported in the Myrtilla, Capt. Marsden, from London, and to be sold by

JOHN HEAD, jun,

In Second street, nearly opposite the Church, the following goods, viz.

A *Large assortment of 3-qr. 7-eights, yard-wide, yard and 3 Sixth cotton and linen checks, 7-eights and yard wide Irish linen, 3 qr. and 7-eights garlix, hempen and flaxen ozenbrigs, China and English black and changeable taffeties, ell-wide black and striped persians, half yard blush and crimson ditto, calicoes and china blue printed linens, a large assortment of cambricks and lawns in pieces and patches, 6-qr. muslin, fine, superfine and low priced broad cloths, shaloons and tammies, sewing silk, white and colour'd threads, tapes and bobbins, double and single taffety, plain and flower'd ribbons, black ferrits, quality bindings, nonsopretties, cotton and linen handkerchiefs, French necklaces, dandriff combs, pins of several sorts, London needles, square pointed do, F and FF gun powder, shot and lead, a large assortment of mens and boys felt hats, batters hats and most sorts of hat trimmings, bohea tea by the dozen, Weston snuff, a large assortment of cutlary ware, silver pattern coat and vest buttons, pumicestone and verdigrease, cinnamon and nutmegs, brown and white buckram, &c. Tbc. 2 m.*

Just imported in the Myrtilla, Capt. Marsden, from London, and to be sold by

GEORGE SMITH,

At his store in Front-street, between Norris and Gray's alleys,

A GOOD assortment of European and East India goods, very cheap, for ready money, or short credit. tbctf.

DRopt from a watch, on Saturday, the 27th of last month, A large stone seal, set in gold. Whoever brings it to the New-Printing-Office, shall receive Twenty Shillings reward. If it should be offered to any of the silver smiths for sale, it is desired they would be so good as to stop it.

To be sold by

JAMES CLULOW,

At the Widow Stanley's, in Market-street,

A PARCEL of red lead, letherage, lead ore, magnet, some crates of earthen ware, very cheap for ready money. §

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to sale by publick vendue about two a clock, on the 4th day of May, at the house of John Biddle, the following messuage and lots of land, viz. A lot of ground, on the east-side of Bread-street, also Moravian-alley, bounded by the said alley on the west, by ground of William Branson on the north, by another part of the same ground on the east, and by Aquila Jones's ground on the south, in length 80 feet, and in breadth 12 feet and a half; another lot or piece of ground, on the west side of bread-street, bounded by the said street on the east, by William Branson's ground on the north and west, and by Richard Hockley's ground on the south, in length 43 feet, and in breadth 12 feet and a half; both clear of ground-rent; also a 3 story brick messuage and lot of ground, situated on Second-street, bounded by Second-street on the east, by William Branson's lot on the north, by the first described lot on the west, and by Aquila Jones's ground on the south, 157 feet in length, and 12 feet and a half in breadth; subject to the annual rent of Four Pounds Three Shillings and Nine-pence, payable to William Branson; late the estate of John Philip Told; taken in execution, by

SAMUEL MORRIS, sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to sale by publick vendue, at 4 a clock, on the 17th inst. May, at John Biddle's, A messuage and lot of land, situated on the north side of High-street, in the city of Philadelphia, bounded southward by High-street, northward by John Rouse's ground, westward by an alley, and eastward by George Yard's ground, containing in width, on High-street, 16 feet, and in length, from High-street to the aforesaid alley, 73 feet, subject to dower during the life of Ruth Snowden, widow; late the estate of John Snowden, and two thirds in his tenure, the other in the tenure of the Widow; taken in execution by SAMUEL MORRIS.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to sale by publick vendue, at two a clock, on the 20th day of this inst. May, at the premises, A tract or parcel of land, in Lower Merion township, adjoining the lands late of Richard Harrison, of Evan Lloyd, of John Lewellin, and to other land of the defendant Hugh Jones, containing 100 acres, be the same more or less; late the estate of Hugh Jones; taken in execution by

SAMUEL MORRIS, sheriff.

Just imported in the last ships from London, and to be sold cheap for ready money or short credit, by

THOMAS M'JANETT and Company,

At their store, in Water-street, near the Tun Tavern,

A Large assortment of European and India goods, suitable for the season; likewise great choice of hard ware. Tbc.

Best possible image.

Just imported from London, in the Myrtilla, Capt. Marſden, and to be ſold cheap, for ready money, or ſhort credit, by

THOMAS PRESTON,

At his ſtore in Second-ſtreet, next door to Joſhua Maddox, Eſq; and nearly oppoſite the Friends Meeting-houſe,

A LARGE aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon. Tbctf.

Juſt imported in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold very cheap, for ready money, or ſhort credit, by

SAMUEL PURVIANCE,

At his ſtore in Water-ſtreet, where Mr. George Mifflin, jun. kept, oppoſite Mr. Richard Edwards's,

A Large aſſortment of European and India goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon; as alſo Weſt-India and Philadelphia rum, loaf and muſcovado ſugar, tea, coffee, pepper, allſpice, chocolate, &c. &c.

EXchanged and taken from the houſe of JOSEPH GALLOWAY, in Market-ſtreet, A new ſuperfine kerſey broad-cloth coat, of a middling drab colour; and left in its ſtead, A half-worn coarſe drab ditto, of a dark brown colour. The Perſon that made the miſtake, is deſired to return it, where he may have his own.

Juſt imported from London, and to be ſold by

SAMUEL CARUTHERS,

At the Sign of the Jack-plain, in Third-ſtreet, between Market and Arch ſtreets,

A FRESH aſſortment of White's ſaws, of all ſorts, including a large aſſortment of hard-ware, peculiar to Carpenters, Joiners, Coopers, &c. &c.

To be SOLD,

A Servant man, has near four years to ſerve; likewiſe a Negroe man, a tayler by trade, and a Negroe woman, and young child. Enquire of WILLIAM HENDERSON, oppoſite the Indian King, in Market-ſtreet.

Imported in the Myrtilla, Capt. Marſden, and other ſhips from London and Briſtol, and to be ſold cheap for ready money or ſhort credit, by

WILLIAM GRANT,

At his ſtore in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite Black-horſe-alley;

BRuſſels, common and narrow camblets, camblettees, ſilk ſagathies, duroys, corded druggets, baragons, tabareta, boulons, everlaſtings, tammies, durants, plain and ſtriped calimancoes, ſilk and worſted plads, grazets, double and ſingle alopeens, red and blue worſted and hair ſhag, Bavarians, crapes, bombazeens, lorains, flower'd ruſſels, Iriſh ſtuffs, ſhaloons, poplins, ſilverets, hair grogram, florettas, double and ſingle worſted damaſk, Turkey burdet, black and light colour'd teffeties, ozenbrigs, ell and yd. wd. ſheeting linen, pomeranias, damaſk table-cloths and napkins, Ruſſia diaper, flaxen and hempen Ruſſia linen, ſilk damaſk, white perſians, white ſarſnet, ſtitching and ſewing ſilk, ſuper ſuper cloths in pieces and ſuits, with linings and trimmings, ſuperfine drabs and coarſer cloths, coating, kerſeys, halfthicks, blue and red bays, duffils, ſtriped and plain blankets, rugs, womens cloth-colour'd and ſcarlet ſhort cloaks, ſuper ſcarlet clothe, ſcarlet flannels, white and colour'd fuſtians, flower'd demity, Iriſh linens, tandems, tandem fileſias, clear and packet lawns, cambricks, flower'd and ſpotted lawns, white and black lace, chints, calicoes, printed linens, figur'd curtain patterns, ſtriped bengals, cotton and linen checks, ſtriped cotton gowns, ſtriped tickings, Flanders ditto, womens ſhoes, white buckram, veſt and ſhirt buttons, ribbons, qualities, gartering, thread, tapes, neat fans, beads, necklaces, buttons and mohair, mens, womens and childrens thread, worſted and cotton ſtockings, worſted patterns for waiſtcoats and breeches, cotton patterns for jackets, ſilk and cotton gloves and muffatees, ſail-cloth, nails, powder, ſhot, lead, allom, copperas, flour brimſtone, apothecaries drugs, window-glaſs of different ſizes, pewter, long and ſhort pipes, drinking-glaſſes, earthen-ware in crates, womens hoops, bed-lace, umbrelloes, a neat aſſortment of pictures, in and out of frame, maps of the world, paper hangings, writing-paper, ſealing-wax, wafers, blank books, copper tea-kettles and coffee-pots, beſt double tin ware, boxes of childrens toys, horſe-whips, worſted cruels, cotton cards, iron weights, mace, cloves, nutmegs, pepper, fowling-pieces, looking-glaſſes, thread caſes, ſtone buttons ſet in ſilver, watches, mens leather gloves, ivory and horn combs, double refin'd ſugar, vermillion, ſorted pins, Pearſal's meditations, Hewey's ſermons; whip and croſs-cut ſaws, coopers and carpenters axes, broad and narrow hoes, bell-metal mortars, peſtles and ſkillets, iron ſaucepans and ſkillets, frying-pans, grid-irons, ſteelyards, ſcale-beams, ſhovel and tongs, drawing-knives, coopers howels, locks, hinges, braſs joiners furniture, coffee-mills, marking-irons; a large and neat aſſortment of buckles, files, raſps, augers, gouges, padlocks, chiſſels, plain-irons, coat and veſt metal buttons, tobacco and ſnuff-boxes, braſs beer and brandy cocks, ſpring and plain ſnuffers, braſs link buttons, coffin furniture, chafing-diſhes, bellows, braſs knob and plain candleſticks, Whitechapel and common needles, plaiſtering trowels, Green's carving tools, knives and forks, four and two feet rules, compaſſes, horſe-locks, hand and tenant ſaws, caulking-irons, ſpades, coopers whittles, ſcupper-nails, tin and ſadlers tacks, tenter-hooks, gun-locks, gimblets, diaper and ſtraining web, ſquare ſtaples, tuft nails, ſilk laſhes, mens and womens ſtirrups, curb bits and ſnaffles, with a variety of ſadlery, &c.

N. B. All perſons indebted to ſaid Grant above ſix months, are once more deſired to pay. Tbctf.

Juſt imported, in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold by

JONATHAN ZANE,

At the ſign of the Crown and Caniſter, in Second-ſtreet, below the Market,

FINE and ſuperfine broadcloths and ſhaloons, buckrams, ſcarf-horn and metal buttons, ſilk and hair twiſt, thread, ſtriped and plain bengals, yd. wd. corded and Venetian poplins, black taffeties, roſſet and linen handkerchiefs, cambricks and lawns in pieces and patches, 7-8, 3-qr. yd. wd. 3 8ths, and 6-qr. cotton and linen checks, ſtrainering, ſprig ozenbrigs, tandem, garlix, cotton and linen ſtripes, nankeens, grandurels, figured and corded demity, ſtitch-diamonds, drawboys, French quilts, cotton gowns, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 10-penny nails, ſad and box-irons, table and cuttoe knives, piſtol and boys cap'd ditto, ſeal penknives, tortoiſe-ſhell, horn, and inlaid lancets, ink-powder, writing paper, key ſwivels, ſpring and plain ſnuffers, ſciſſars, ſnuff-boxes of ſundry ſorts, braſs thimbles, open top ſteel ditto, ivory and horn combs, deſk and drawer furniture, leather and braſs ink-pots, fiſh-hooks, ſpectacles and caſes, knitting and ſewing needles, pins, ſhoe and knee buckles, coffin handles, ſcrews of ſundry ſorts, plate bolts, H L H, cheſt, table, deſk-fall, clock, and book-caſe hinges, thumb-latches, black and tinn'd curry-combs, carpenters and gaugers rules, brick and maſons trowels, locks of ſundry ſorts, gold ſcales and weights, black and ſplinter pads, awlblades and tacks, ſkeets, 2, 3, and 4-penny batt and trunk nails, black and tin tacks, ſhort hobs, files of ſundry ſorts, plain irons, ſorted gouges, ſcribing, heading, and broad chizels, a neat aſſortment of pewter, felt hats, nutmegs, cinnamon, cloves, mace, pepper, ginger, alſpice, rice, tea, coffee, chocolate, flower of muſtard, Hugary water, Britiſh oil, Bateman's drops, Turlington's balſam, Daffy's elixir, aloes, borax, gumarabick, red and white vitriol, ſaltpetre, camphire, cream of tartar, emry, cortex, peru, rad. jallop, ſenna, manna, roll and flour brimſtone, allom, rozin, ſpirit of turpentine, and varniſh, red and white lead, ſpaniſh brown, whiting, ſhot and powder, good ſilver watches, powder-blue, and liquoriſh ball, with ſundry other goods too tedious to mention.

N. B. As ſaid Zane intends to leave the province in the Fall, the purchaſers may depend on being ſupplied at reaſonable rates.

Imported (chiefly in the laſt ſhip) from London, and to be ſold by

ISAAC JONES,

At his ſtore in Arch-ſtreet, at the corner of Moravian-alley, the following goods, viz.

A Good aſſortment of fine and low priced calicoes, chints, ſtampt cottons and linens, dark ſtriped cotton hollands, colour'd fuſtians, Iriſh ozenbrigs, hempen and flaxen ſprig linen, Ruſſia linen, brown and white roles, dowlas, garlix, princes linen, ſail duck, bed-ticken in pieces, ghentiſh and brown ſheeting, cotton furniture for beds, 3 qr. 7-8ths and yd. wd. Iriſh linen, 3 qr. 7-8ths and 6 qr. check linen, long, broad, clear and piſtol lawns, clouting diaper and table-cloths, muſlins, cambricks, bag and gulix holland, demities, white jeans, ginghams, bengals, ſuperfine printed cambrick and long lawn handkerchiefs, brown and white buckram and ſtay canvas, Engliſh and India black, light and cloth colour'd paduaſoys, damaſks, ſattins, ſtriped, black, bluſh and cloth colour'd Engliſh and India perſians, black, light and cloth colour'd taffeties, white tabby, mantua, white ſarſnet, black alamode, ſtriped luteſtring, bordered and plain bandanoes, and variety of other ſilk handkerchiefs, men, women, boys and girls thread, cotton, yarn, worſted and ſilk hoſe, muffatees, double and ſingle ſilk, worſted and cotton caps, mens velvet ditto, Bath lamb gloves and mittens, ivory and horn combs, nutmegs, mace, cloves, ſhort cloaks, corking, middling and ſmall pins, Whitechapel, ſquare, darning and common needles, garters, braſs and iron thimbles, diaper, holland, Manchеſter and cotton tapes, bobbins, Nuns, Scots and colour'd threads, nonſopretties, watch-ſtrings and keys, mohair and metal buttons, twiſt and cord, broad and narrow worſted and ſilk qualities, broad and narrow ſerrits, white ſtay-cord and galoon, wove ſilk breeches patterns, broad and narrow paduaſoy ſattin and taffety ribbons, white, light and cloth colour'd baladine ſewing ſilks, black lace, gauze and white edging, ſilk, cotton, ferrit and thread laces, wire and mould ſhirt buttons, ſaddle and ſhoe orris, paper and gauze fans, ſteel hoops, ink-powder, parchment; ſuperfine and coarſe broadcloths, ſtampt cloths, worſted and ſilk ſagathies, fine Bruſſels camblet, hairbines, double and ſingle black and cloth colour'd alopeens, black bombazeens, ſhaloons, tammies, pink and cloth colour'd durants, black, pink, ſaffron, white and cloth colour'd calimancoes, corded poplins, white and black plain and flower'd ruſſels, ſingle and double worſted damaſks, florets, ſuperfine cloth colour'd and black crapes, camblettees, blue duffils, halfthicks, ſcarlet flannels, ſerge, plad, hair pluſh, rugs and blankets, braſs and copper teakettles and warming-pans, copper chafing-diſhes, copper coffee and chocolate-pots, bell-metal ſkillets and kettles, braſs flour and pepper-boxes, ſkimmers, ſnuffers, copper jugs, mugs, ſaucepans and boilers, braſs beer and racking cocks, braſs ſcrew-up, bell-noſe and ſliding candleſticks, ſome pewter, cutlery, ironmongery, &c. &c. &c.

Juſt imported, and to be ſold by

THOMAS and WILLIAM LIGHTFOOT,

At their ſtore on the wharff at the north ſide of Cheſtnut-ſtreet, joining the houſe where James Pemberton lately lived,

SUper and ſuperfine broad-cloths, with trimmings, ſhaloons, fine rattinets, tammies, durants, duroys, fine and coarſe ſilk and worſted camblets, camblettees, ſilk and worſted venetians, florettas, plain and flower'd calimancoes, worſted damaſks, hairbines, corded poplins, double and ſingle alopeens, ſilk and hair grazets, crapes, perſian taffeties, bengals, corded and plain druggets, corded wiltons, barragons, nankeens, bombazeens, prunelloes, ſilk and worſted ſagathies, ſundry ſorts of ſilk and worſted ſtuffs, white and blue ruſſels, ſilk and hair buttons and twiſt, mohair, ſewing ſilk, white and brown buckrams, a large aſſortment of gloves and mittens, mens and womens cotton and thread hoſe, mens ſilk ditto, cotton hollands, broad hollands, ginghams, ſilk and cotton gowns, 3-qr. 7-eights, yard-wide and 6-qr. cotton and linen checks, Ruſſia ſheeting, 3-qr. 7-eights and yard-wide Iriſh linens, ſingle fileſias, quadruple and tandem double fileſias, 3-qr. and 7-eights garlix, tandem yard-wide garlix, long lawns, piſtol lawns, 7-eights and yd. wd. clear lawns, cambricks in pieces and patches, muſlins, napkening and clouting diaper, 7 qr. 8-qr. and 10-qr. diaper and damaſk table-cloths, damaſk ditto with napkins in ſetts, Ruſſia diaper, variety of ſilk, cotton and linen handkerchiefs, ozenbrigs, white and brown princes linen, hempen ruſſia, dowlas, brown roles, Ruſſia drillings, paterbones, heſſens, twilled hemp ſacking, bed ticks, womens fans, ſilk laces, Dutch pretties, ſhort and long huſſeys, gilt and red letter caſes, ſpectacles, writing paper, ſealing wax, leather ink-pots, red trunks in neſts, womens fine tortoiſe-ſhell and ſilver capped whips, half hunters and ſwitches, beſt G B wool-cards, cotton ditto, ſcythes from 40 to 50 inches in length, 4, 6, 10, 12 and 20d. nails, White's beſt ſteel plate handſaws, pannel ſaws, iron plate handſaws, mill-ſaws, fire ſhovels and tongs, ſplinter-locks, pad-locks, braſs knob-locks, cheſt and cloſet-locks, files, augers, chiſels, gouges, two foot rules, iron compaſſes, plain-irons, H HL cheſt, box and ſhutter hinges, iron and braſs ball'd candleſticks, ſnuffers, gun-locks, table knives and forks, butchers knives, cuttoes, common and caſt-ſteel razors, taylors ſhears, ſciſſars, nail-nippers, ſteel inſtrument caſes, ivory handle pen-knives in ſheaths, ſleeve buttons and ſtuds, braſs and pewter curtain rings, common needles, beſt White-chapel do. ſquare pointed and darning ditto, pins, common and beſt kerby bent fiſh-hooks, mens and womens thimbles, cork ſcrews, key ſwivels, watch leathers and keys, ſeals, ſteel pencil caſes, pencils, ſilver and Pinchbeck watches, ſundry ſorts of ſhoe and knee buckles, white and yellow metal buttons, ivory and horn combs, memorandum books, pointed knitting needles, painted ſnuff boxes, Arnold's beſt Scotch ſnuff, pipes, London ſingle refined ſugar, bohea tea, cloves, mace, cinnamon and nutmegs, pewter diſhes, water-plates, baſons, tankards, barbers baſons and pots, ſalts, pepper caſtors, hard-metal plates, caſes with tea-ſpoons, &c. Bath table-ſpoons, a large aſſortment of books by the box, and ſundry other things. Tbctf.

To be ſold by

STANDLEY and HUGHES,

On Carpenter's wharff,

INdian corn, Weſt-India rum, New-England and Philadelphia ditto, muſcovado and loaf ſugar, Liſbon wine by the quarter caſk, mackrel, coffee, chocolate, rice, tea, pepper, allſpice, raiſins, ginger, beſt French indigo, myrtle-wax, firkins of butter, good bar iron, wholeſale or retail, hair ſieves by the half dozen, lamp-black, blubber, boxes of pipes, crates of ware, potatoes by the ſcore or buſhel, cyder by the barrel, braziletta, hogſhead heading and ſtaves, barrel ſtaves, cedar boards and ſhingles, red cedar logs for ſawing, and ſundry other things.

For Cape Fear, *in* North-Carolina,

The SNOW

BARBADOS FACTOR,

JOSEPH GREENWAY

Maſter,

Will ſail about the 15th of this inſt. For freight or paſſage, apply to Jonathan Lewis, or ſaid maſter on board, at Lloyd's wharff. She is a prime ſailer, and has extraordinary accommodations for paſſengers.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Joſeph Webb, of this city, houſe carpenter, deceaſed, are deſired to pay; and thoſe that have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their accounts to EDITH WEBB, adminiſtratrix. ¶

N. B. To be ſold by ſaid adminiſtratrix, A ſett of carpenters tools.

Juſt imported in the ſhip Myrtilla, from London, and to be ſold by

ROBERT and AMOS STRETTELL,

At their ſtore in Front-ſtreet,

BEſt Scotch ſnuff, at Five-Shillings per bottle, or Fifty-ſix Shillings per dozen. Alſo to be ſold by ſaid Robert and Amos Strettell, Choice old Madeira wine, new rice, bohea and green tea, nutmegs, beſt London corks, ſtock cards and wool cards, pipes and earthen-ware, Briſtol ſteel, 4d nails, block tin, ingot braſs, copper kettles, rivets, ſheets and bottoms for ſmall and middle ſiz'd work, alſo ſorted, in proper dimenſions, for ſtills of 400, 600, and 1000 gallons, variety of braziery, cutlery and haberdaſhery ware, low priced rugs, worſted hoſe, broad-cloths, duroys and ſhaloons, womens and childrens London made ſtays, and ve vet hoods, &c. ozenbrigs, ticklingburgh linens, ſingle and double fileſias, tandem and nuns hollands, 3 qr. and 7-eights garlix, 7-eights and yard-wide Iriſh linens and brown ſheeting, Ruſſia linen and diaper, ditto and damaſk clouting, fringed table-cloths, cambricks, lawns and muſlins, printed calicoes and chints, cherriderries, ginghams flower'd bandanoes, checks, white and colour'd fuſtians, ſingle and double ſilk caps, cloth colour'd ſewing ſilk, white bluſh and black perſians, white ſarſnet, framed and varniſhed proſpects, ſea pieces, &c. with many other artic es not mentioned.

TO be ſold by *James Gilchriſt*, at the ſign of the Queen of Hungary, in Front-ſtrtet, Two likely Negro women, Bermuda born; one of which has had the ſmall-pox; and are both fit for town or country buſineſs.

Philadelphia, April 30, 1754.

RUN away from on board the ſloop Eſther, belonging to Maryland, this morning, A Welch ſervant man, named Thomas Ellis, ſpeaks broken Engliſh, about 5 feet 7 inches high, much freckled, and pretends to be a ſailor: Had on, A green jacket, laced along the ſeams and ſleeves with white, red cap, wide ſailors trowſers, old grey ſtockings, and ſhoes, with braſs buckles. Whoever ſecures the ſaid ſervant, and brings him to John Biddle's, at the ſign of the Indian King, ſhall have a Piſtole reward, if taken in Philadelphia, and Two Piſtoles if taken any where elſe, and reaſonable charges, paid by ſaid Biddle, or CHARLES CHRISTIE.

TO be ſold (or would be exchanged for a houſe in the city of Philadelphia) A valuable plantation, of 100 acres of land, commonly called Thomas Rutter's place, ſituated in Briſtol townſhip, about half a mile from Germantown great road, near the upper end of Germantown, and back of the country ſeat of William Allen, Eſquire; the ſaid plantation having fine improvements, a good brick houſe, ſtone barn, and two frame tenements, a conſtant ſtream of water, good meadowing that can be water'd; the whole being very well timber'd, having good corn land, and provided with a good bearing orchard of ſundry ſorts of choice fruit, and ſundry Engliſh nut trees and pear trees; the whole very well ſituated to make one or two country ſeats. Enquire of John Rudolph, living on the premiſes.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1754.

For LONDON,

The SHIP MYRTILLA,

Capt. MARSDEN,

Will ſail in 5 weeks from this Date.

For freight or paſſage, apply to ſaid maſter, or to DAVID FRANKS.

N. B. Great variety of European and Eaſt-India goods imported in the laſt ſhips from London, to be ſold by ſaid Franks.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale by publick vendue at two a clock, on the the third day of May, at the houſe of John Biddle, A lot or piece of ground, ſituated in the city of Philadelphia, on the north ſide of Cheſtnut-ſtreet, and weſt ſide of Delaware-Sixth-ſtreet, containing in breadth eaſt and weſt 79 feet and a half, and in length north and ſouth 150 feet, bounded eaſtward by Sixth-ſtreet, ſouthward by Cheſtnut-ſtreet, weſtward by by E. Wright's lot, and northward by a new ſtreet, 36 feet wide, extending from Sixth-ſtreet to Seventh-ſtreet.

Alſo on the ſame day will be expoſed to ſale, A meſſuage, brew-houſe, malt-houſe, and lot or piece of ground thereunto belonging, ſituated in Philadelphia aforeſaid, on the weſt ſide of Sixth ſtreet, and on the north ſide of the aforeſaid 36 feet ſtreet, bounded eaſtward with Sixth-ſtreet aforeſaid, ſouthward with the aforeſaid 36 feet ſtreet, weſtward with a 50 feet ſtreet leading out of the ſaid 36 feet ſtreet, and northward with Jaſper Carpenter's lot, late the eſtates of Samuel Carpenter, taken in execution by

SAMUEL MORRIS, ſheriff.

TO be ſold by publick vendue, on the premiſes, by Alexander Cruikſhank, on Thurſday, the 2d day of May, the ſale to begin at 5 a clock in the afternoon, A houſe and lot, on the ſouth ſide of Cheſtnut-ſtreet, between Front and Second-ſtreets, 15 feet front, and 60 feet 6 inches in depth, 2 ſtories high in the front, and 3 back; a large kitchen, 20 by 10, 3 ſtories high, and cellar room through the whole; ſubject to a ground-rent of Forty five Shillings old currency, or Thirty-three Shillings and Nine-pence proclamation. ALEXANDER CRUIKSHANK. ¶

TO be ſold by publick vendue, on Thurſday the ninth of May next enſuing, a houſe, and lot of ground, wherein Richard Murray, deceaſed, formerly dwelt, ſituated near the northern bounds of this city, containing in breadth on Vine-ſtreet, 18 feet, and in depth 146 feet, bounded ſouthward with Vine-ſtreet aforeſaid, weſtward with ground of George Royal, eaſtward with Jonathan Zane's ground, and northward with a certain 25 feet ſtreet, being a new ſtreet extending from Second-ſtreet into Fourth-ſtreet. For terms of ſale apply to WILLIAM CHANCELLOR, in Market-ſtreet.

N. B. The ſale to be held on the premiſes, and to begin at two a clock in the afternoon. Tbc. 6 W.

RUN away on the 26th of March laſt, from John Paul, of Vincent townſhip, in Cheſter county, a Dutch ſervant man, named Barnut Mouran, about 40 years of age, freſh colour'd, grey eyes, wears his own hair, of a light colour, about 5 feet 7 inches high, and well-ſet; Had on when he went away, An old felt hat, with a hole in the brim of it, two linſey-woolſey jackets, both off one piece, ſtriped with brown and yellow, two linen ſhirts, buckſkin breeches, with trowſers over them, wove ſtockings, footed with blue yarn, good ſhoes, with hob-nails in the ſoals of them, and large braſs buckles. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him, ſo as his maſter may have him again, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

¶ JOHN PAUL.

Juſt imported from London, in the ſhip Nelly, Capt. Gibbon, and to be ſold reaſonable, by

RICHARD FARMAR,

At the Unicorn, in Second-ſtreet,

A Very large aſſortment of drugs and medicines. Likewiſe Bateman's drops, Britiſh oil, ſpirit of turpentine, phoſphorus, Stoughton's bitters, Daffy's elixir, Hungary water, Turlington's balſam, Lockyer's pills, Godfrey's cordial, honey-water, hard varniſh, ſagoe, lancets, painters bruſhes, with colours for all ſorts of paintings, &c. 10s. Tbctf.

To be sold by
ROBERT LETTIS HOOPER,
Now living at Trenton, in the province of New-Jersey,

A GRIST mill, with two pair of stones, and three bolting boxes, with good cloaths therein; the said bolting works all go by water with coggs and rounds, except the country cloaths; the meal is hoisted up by water in a large box; the mill-house 50 by 33, with good conveniencies for storing of wheat. Also a good stone dwelling-house, with three rooms on a floor, and a large stone kitchen to the same; and another stone house, with two rooms on a floor, and a large cooper's shop joining to the house, lying near the mills, and both houses well finished, and convenient for merchant and cooper. Also a fulling-mill, dwelling-house and shop, with all the tools and utensils belonging to a fulling-mill and dye-house; both of said mills lies on Millstone river, opposite to each other, at Rockey-hill, in the county of Somerset, and province of East-Jersey; their dams, houses and works are all compleatly finished, and the buyer may have from 50 to 100 acres of very good land, with a fine piece of meadow and timber, joining to the premises. The whole will be sold together or separate, as may best suit the buyer. Tbctf.

ABRAHAM USHER, and JAMES WHARTON, carry on the business as formerly done by Matthew and Abraham Usher, and have the following goods on hand, which they will sell very cheap for ready money or short credit, viz. A large assortment of 7-8ths, yard-wide and 3-4ths linen checks, 7-8ths and yard-wide cotton ditto, cotton hollands, linen ditto, 7-8ths and yard-wide Irish linens, diapers and ozenbrigs, superfine erminets, Turkey plads, colour'd sustians, tufted ditto, fine starrets, colour'd and white Scots thread, fine Scots carpeting, superfine camblets, calimancoes, durants and tammies, mens and womens glazed white gloves, womens stuff and silk shoes, needles, an assortment of coat and jacket white and yellow metal buttons, sleeve ditto, sundry sorts of shoe and knee buckles, an assortment of cutlary, viz. buck and bone table knives and forks, Hool's pistol capp'd knives, seal end pen-knives, taylors shears, womens sciffars, &c. long and short pipes, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 20d nails, hair brushes and brooms, of sundry sorts, sundry kinds of ironmongery, copper sauce-pans, pewter dishes and plates, brass candlesticks, tea, coffee, chocolate, cinnamon and nutmegs, best florence oil, copperas and allom, gun-powder, indigo, best velvet corks, pitch, tar and turpentine, mackrel, English cordage and anchors, old Jamaica spirit, single and double refin'd London loaf sugar, best London crown glass, Weston's and Scotch snuff, a parcel of best English quills, and an assortment of shipchandlery, where all persons, that will favour us with their business, may depend on being used well.

N. B. All persons indebted to the estate of Matthew and Abraham Usher, are desired once more to come and pay their respective debts, to prevent trouble. And all persons that are indebted to Matthew Watson, deceased, are likewise desir'd to come and pay, or else they must expect to be troubled.

To be sold, by
THOMAS GORDON,
At his store, opposite the Tun-tavern, in Water-street,
OLD Jamaica spirits, Madeira wine, wholesale or retail, melasses, muscovado sugar, French white wine vinegar, olives anchovies, capers, &c. Also burgundy, claret, fontenack, and choice Batavia arrack. Tbc.

TO be sold by the subscribers, the following houses and lots, situated in the borough of Lancaster; four houses and lots, situated in Orange-street, the lots containing in front 64 feet 4 inches, and in depth 245 feet each, on one of the said lots is erected a commodious brick-house, the other three built with square logs, and well finished: Also two small lots, with a log-house on each lot, situate in the same street: Likewise one in Prince-street, 64 feet in front, and 120 in depth, with a large frame-house, and a brick kitchen adjoining the same, all in good repair: Also one bounded upon two 14 feet alleys, and adjoining the last mentioned lot, with a large carpenter's shop, built with square logs, and a small orchard thereon: Likewise one in Prince-street aforesaid, 64 feet in front, and 100 in depth, with a good frame house erected thereon: One in King-street, 32 feet front, and 120 in depth on Water-street, with a good square log-house of two stories, and a stable: Two lots in Water-street, with a large stone house, the lots containing in front 128 feet, and in depth 120: Four more lots on said street, to be sold or lett, with a good tan-yard, and a stone-house thereon: Likewise ten acres of good land, situate in the borough aforesaid, and about half a mile from the Court-house, bounded upon the great road 40 perches, leading south from Lancaster to Conestogoe creek, all under good fence, with a good barn thereon. Any person inclining to purchase any of the said houses and lots, &c. may be informed upon what terms, by the subscribers, living in Lancaster aforesaid. ISAAC WHITELOCK,
THOMAS POLTANY.

N. B. The said Poltany, at his shop in King-street, near the Court-house, at the sign of the Hand-saw, has a variety of ironmongery and furniture, suitable for desks, drawers, &c. (at reasonable rates) for sale. Tbc 6 mo.

To be sold, by
SAMUEL WHARTON,
(Exceeding cheap) at his store, on Carpenter's wharff, and opposite to Abraham Taylor's,

FINE and coarse broad-cloths, kerseys, bearskins, coating, half-thicks, Lancashire bays, Indian blanketting, plain duffils, fine flock'd green rugs, rose ditto, blankets, scarlet, white and embossed flannels, striped linsey, camblets, calimancoes, tammies, London and Bristol shaloons, womens short cloaks, knit patterns for breeches, plain and corded druggets, barragons, serge denims, amens, buckrams, single and double alopeens, worsted shag, black crape, duroys, bed-ticken, ozenbrigs, Irish linens, princes linens, Irish sheeting, yard-wide, 3 qr. 7-eights and 6 qr. checks, muslins, cambricks, calicoes, printed linens, printed cottons, chints, diaper table-cloths, silk handkerchiefs, cotton romals, worsted caps, writing paper, mens and womens gloves and mittens, Holman's ink-powder, pins, bobbins, tapes, Scots and Nuns threads, snuff boxes, sciffars, pistol cap'd and cuttoe knives, pen-knives, lancets, brass ink-pots, horse flemes, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 20 and 24d nails, long and short pipes, window glass, Philadelphia and West-India rum, muscovado sugar, bar and pig iron, bohea and green tea, coffee, &c. &c. Tbc. 6 M.

Philadelphia, February 5, 1754.

TO be sold, either in the whole, or in parcels, a tract of land, containing 700 acres, situated in the county of Northampton, about 70 miles from Philadelphia, reputed as good in quality as any in this province; 300 acres and upwards of which may, with little expence, be made choice meadow, having plenty of springs, and Mahoning-creek extending through the whole tract; all which is extraordinary well stored with timber of the largest size, and bounded partly by the Moravian settlement, and partly by a large range of vacant land for raising stock. For terms of sale apply to Mr. REDMOND CONYNGHAM, merchant, or JOHN REILY, scrivener, in Front-steeet, where the plan of the premises, and title, which is clear, may be seen. Tbctf.

Just imported, by way of New-York, and to be sold cheap for ready money, or three months credit, by
ALEXANDER M'DOUALL,
At his store, next door to Capt. Phillips's, in Water-street, and where Mr. Alexander Lunan formerly lived,
AN assortment of woollens, and other goods, suitable for the season. Also a choice parcel of English bottled beer. Tbc.3m.¶

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Thomas Howell, late of Chichester, Chester county, deceased, are desired to pay: And all those having any demands against the estate, are desired to bring in their accounts, in order that they may be settled, and paid, by the subscriber, in Philadelphia, SAMUEL HOWELL, executor.

N. B. To be sold by the said executor, The late dwelling-house and plantation of Thomas Howell, being about 150 acres of land, lying on the main road, about 4 miles from Chester, and half a mile from Marcus-hook; good part of said land being drained and upland meadow, with a valuable young orchard, and wood land sufficient; the house being a large brick house, with a cellar under the whole, new large barn, good stable, good water, &c. The land will be sold together or in parcels, as it may suit the purchaser. Credit will be given, giving security, and paying interest. Tbctf.

Just imported in the Ship London, Capt. Shirley, and to be sold by
Mrs. ANNE REDMOND,
In Market-street, next door to the sign of the Star, the following goods, viz.

GAuse and gauze caps, gimps, blown lace, and lace for headdress, drinking glasses of the newest fashion, decanters, diamond rings, ear-rings, solitairs, watches, silver tweezers, toothpick cases, eggs, snuff-boxes, patch-boxes, thimbles, buttons, stone rings set in silver, large silver knives and forks in cases, and small ditto, childrens ditto, stone buttons in silver, for sleeves and waistcoats, silver pendants for watches or corals, and corals for children, enamelled snuff and patch-boxes. All sorts of watch-makers tools and materials, springs, glasses, keys, hands, strings, pendulum wire, plyers, Lancashire files of all sorts, borax, blow-pipes, magnifying glasses, silver chains and leathers, silver and gilt cornelian and onyx scales, steel ditto, stone slay-books, hand-bells, gilt thimbles, steel-tops, brass ditto, steel keys, swivels, large artificial flowers, true silver ribbon, plain of all sorts, white and black lace, lacer for stays, ladies mitts of all colours, silk purses and garters, childrens stitchet caps, children and dolls feathered hats. All sorts of leather and other fans, threads, pins, patches, flowered fustians, stockings, worsted patterns for breeches, muffatees, velvet caps, japaned tea-boards and waiters, cherry-tree ditto, mahogony tea chests, large and small bottle stands, spice-boxes, and powder ditto, powder flasks, artificial magnets, plate powder, black ball and brushes of all kinds, dolls of all Prices, all sorts of childrens toys, smelling bottles, plain and silver tops, box-irons, brass candlesticks, tea tongs, punch ladles, all sorts of copper and brass toys, and variety of other goods too tedious to mention. ‡ 5s. T.b.c. t.f.

Just imported in the ship Louisa, Capt. Gardner, from Glasgow, and in the Charming Polly, Capt. Dunn, from Liverpool, and to be sold very cheap for ready money, by
Capt. JAMES M'CULLOUGH,
Near the Market,
A Variety of Scotch Dumblane linens, Fife and Glasgow checks, ribb'd worsted hose, 3 qr. and 7-8ths ticken, handkerchiefs, Liverpool 3 qr. linen checks, 7-8ths cotton checks, 6 qr. linen and cotton checks, plains, drab narrow frizes, striped linseys, halfthicks, striped flannels, plain drabs, ribb'd and plain stockings, coarse and fine shaloons, &c. ⊕ 5s. Tbctf.

OUR Subscribers in *Virginia*, are desired to pay their respective Ballances due for this Gazette, to WILLIAM HUNTER, Esq; of *Williamsburgh*; those on the Western Shore of *Maryland*, to WILLIAM YOUNG, Esq; of *Baltimore* County; and those on the Eastern Shore, to THOMAS RINGOLD, Esq; of *Chester* Town; their several Accounts being left with those Gentlemen for that Purpose, who are fully impowered by us to receive, give Discharges, &c. FRANKLIN and HALL.

ALL Sorts of Printing-Work, Dutch and English, done by WILLIAM DUNLAP, Printer, at Lancaster.

JOHN REILY, SCRIVENER, hereby gives Notice, That any Gentlemen desirous to buy or sell Estates, Houses, Lands, Yearly-rent Charges, Annuities, &c. or to borrow or lend Money on good Security, may be assisted therein by applying to him at his Office, in Front-street, where their Business (as usual) will be transacted with the greatest Care, Dispatch and Secrecy. Those who please to favour him in placing out their Money at Interest, may be assured that he will procure them undoubted Security, by Mortgage or otherwise.

Said Reily, upon Application, will, with Accuracy, peruse and examine Titles to Lands, &c. and inform the Possessors or Owners of the Deeds relating to such Lands, of any Defect in their Titles, also what will be needful to supply or remedy such Defects.
JOHN REILY.

At said Office is transacted, as above, the Notarial Business, in all its Branches, by Mr. JAMES HUMPHREYS, Notary Publick.

N. B. Said REILY has a large Quantity of French Indico, and Half Chests of neat and genuine Florence Oil, in Setty's, to dispose of, very cheap for ready Money.

To be LETT,
A Commodious house, on the west-side of Rock-Hall, in Arch-street.

Philadelphia, April 11. 1754.

NOTICE is hereby given, that *GEORGE BURNS* is remov'd from *New-York* to *Trenton Ferry*; where he keeps a house of good entertainment for all Gentlemen and Travellers.

For LONDON,

The SHIP
CAROLINA,
Stephen Mesnard,
Commander;
Will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage, apply to James Pemberton, or said commander.

N. B. She has extraordinary accommodations for passengers.

RUN away on Monday the 15th inst. from the subscribers, living in Whiteland township, Chester county, two Irish servant men, one named Barnaby M'Carty, about 46 years of age, and better than five feet high, has his head shaved, and wears a black wig, broad pale face, has a large flat nose, and speaks very good English; he has been a servant before, which shews he is an old hand in the country: Had on when he went away, a brown holland jacket, a blue linsey ditto, striped, and a pair of white linen drawers; also took with him, a drab colour'd jacket, a piece of new brown linen, a pattern of a shirt, the same of those he wears, a new felt hat, and a pair of new shoes, with brass buckles. The other named James Flin, a cooper by trade, is upwards of 30 years of age, about five feet six inches high, of a black complexion, pretty full face, grey eyes, and has a down look: Had on when he went away, a linen cap, old hat, darkish colour'd homespun jacket, the back part stain'd, with white metal buttons, an under flannel jacket, without sleeves, striped blue, red and yellow, breeches the same of the jacket, a leather apron, old working shirt, new shoes, with old buckles, a pair of new woollen stockings, and a pretty good blue and white cotton handkerchief. Whoever takes up and secures said servants, so as their masters may have them again, shall have Thirty Shillings reward for each, and reasonable charges, paid by RICHARD RICHISON and JAMES WILLIAMS.

RUn away from the subscriber, the 9th inst. an English servant man named Thomas Filer, about 33 years of age, 5 feet and a high, talks West-country, of a black complexion, black hair Beard, pretty hairy on his breast: Had on, and took with, when went away, two jackets, one of a grey colour, and the other stripmoss and white, with brass buttons, fashionable blue broadcloth coat, with broad metal buttons, daub'd with tar, old patch'd leather breeches, with strings at the knees, two shirts, one check, and the other ozenbrigs, two pair of yarn stockings, two pair of shoes one pair new, and the other pair patch'd, and a felt Hat. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Six Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, paid by Thomas Andrews, living in Evesham township, Burlington county, in West-New-Jersey.

N. B. He has 3 years and a half to serve. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off. ¶

JOHN GROVES is removed from his store on Carpenter's Wharff, to a House in Front-street, opposite Mr. Robert Moore's; where he has to sell, A neat Assortment of European and East-India Goods.

NOtice is hereby given to the Members of *The Library Company of Philadelphia*, that they are to meet (in Pursuance of their Charter, on Monday, the 6th of May next, at the Library at three a Clock in the Afternoon, to chuse directors, and a treasurer, and to make their Twenty-second annual payment.

THE Contributors to the *Pennsylvania* Hospital are desired to meet at the Court-house in this city, on the 6th of the 5th month, called May next, between the hours of 3 and 6, in the afternoon, to choose twelve managers and a treasurer, according to Law; and at that time a general state of the accounts of the Hospital for the year, will be laid before them.

Philadelphia, April 5, 1754.

RUN away, last night, from Wallace and Bryan, on Market-street wharff, a north of Ireland servant man, named Richard Devine, of a middle stature, fresh complexion, and simple in his looks and behaviour. Had on, a dark forest cloth coat, remarkably short, a pair of black everlasting breeches, a striped flannel waistcoat, check shirt, grey hose, a hat and wig. He also took with him a pair of scarlet breeches, a fustian waistcoat, two other pair of hose, and two spare wigs. Whoever takes up and returns said servant to his masters, shall have Fifty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by WALLACE and BRYAN.

N. B. There is some reason to think he went towards Bucks county.

STray'd or stolen from John Howard, Joiner, of Philadelphia, on the fourth of January last, A black mare, with a star in her forehead, and a snip on her nose, one of her hind feet white, about 14 hands high, paces and trots, and goes a small hand gallop, about 6 or 7 years old. Whoever brings the said mare to the owner, shall have Twenty Shillings reward if stray'd, or Forty Shillings if stolen and the thief taken, paid by JOHN HOWARD. Tbc.

This is to give NOTICE,

THAT at the School-house next door to the Widow Bittle's in Strawberry-alley, The Subscriber purposes, after the Hour of Five in the Afternoons, to teach on that agreeable Instrument the GERMAN FLUTE, by an easy Method; and as some Gentlemen are afraid to undertake it by Reason of its taking more Wind then they think they can well spare, the Subscriber has invented a Mouth-piece, made either of Tin or Silver, and does not in the least alter the Tone of the Flute, but does the same as if blown by the nicest Lip. Any Gentleman inclining to learn, may, by paying Fifteen Shillings Entrance, and Fifteen Shillings per Month.

*** *Also the Subscriber carefully teaches, Reading grammatically, the various Hands in Writing, and Vulgar and Decimal Arithmetick; those that are pleased to favour him with their Children, may depend upon his Care and Diligence in teaching and bringing them forward in their Learning.* ‖ ROBERT COE.

FOUR POUNDS *Reward.*

RUN away on the 18th of January last, from John Ladd of Gloucester county, in New-Jersey, A servant Man, named John Armus, or Huckaback, of middle size, pale complexion, blind of one eye, it being sunk in his head, about 28 years of age. Had on, and took with him, A good felt hat, worsted cap, an old wig, an old light colour'd coat, with brass buttons, without lining, a blue and white linsey-woolsey jacket, with one sleeve all blue, half worn leather breeches, ozenbrigs trowsers, two ozenbrigs shirts, a homespun black and white under jacket, two pair of yarn stockings, one pair grey, the other of a dark colour, neats leather shoes, almost new. He can speak Dutch, but appears to be this country born; has lived several years with Thomas Roberts, just about two miles eastward from Germantown. Whoever secures him, so as he may be had again, shall have Four Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, paid by JOHN LADD.
N. B. He took with him a falling ax. Tbc.

RUN away on the 11th of last month, from Nathaniel Grubb, of Chester county, an Irish servant man, named Thomas Flemming, but goes by the name of Thomas Cafedy, aged about 22 years, a thick well-set fellow, with a down sullen look, freckled and pock-broken, short light brown hair: Had on when he went away, a duroy jacket, leather breeches, a cotton shirt, blue grey stockings, a good beaver hat. Also took with him, a light coloured home-spun cloth jacket, which had been burnt and patch'd, likewise a small twilled wallet, with provisions. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, paid by
¶ NATHANIEL GRUBB.
All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off.

For the Improvement of the Breed of Horses in this and the neighbouring Governments;

NOtice is hereby given, That there is kept at Chatham Rope-Yard, on the Passyunk road, by George Goodwin, late of the city of York, in Great-Britain, A very fine Stallion from Ireland, well known by the name of YOUNG TIFTER, being formerly advertised in this paper, which shewed his descent is from the best breed in England; but as it is thought necessary again to insert his pedigree, the following particulars relating to it may certainly be depended on.

Young Tifter was bred by the Hon. Charles O Neal, Esq; of Stains-Castle, and begot by the famous Tifter, brought from England by the Right Hon. Arthur Hill, Esq; who was begot by Tifter of Warwick, the best twelve stone horse in England: Tifter of Warwick was begot by the famous Toulous Barb, and bred out of Cream-Cheeks, full sister to Leeds, and Grand-dam to old Childers; the present Tifter's dam was the famous Primrose, daughter to Dimple, and her dam daughter to Wasp. Any person inclining to send their mares to this horse, are desired to apply to the Groom in order to have them distinctly listed, and served in their turns. The conditions, Two Pistoles for the season, or One Pistole each leap, and Half a Crown to the Groom, paid at the stable door.
¶ Tbc. 6 W. GEORGE GOODWIN.

To be SOLD,

A DUTCH servant maid's time, who has two years and nine months to serve, and is fit for town or country business, being very handy. Enquire at the New-Printing-Office.

LOst between Shoemaker's mill and Neshaminey, on the York road, a silver watch, with a green string. Whoever has found the same, and will bring it to David Rees, at the Crooked Billet, shall have Fifteen Shillings reward, paid by
BENJAMIN WALTON. ⊕

[*See the Half-sheet for the other Advertisements.*]

Best possible image.

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

The SPEECH of his Excellency
WILLIAM SHIRLEY, Eſq;
To the Great and General Court or Aſſembly of the Province of the *Maſſachuſetts Bay*, in *New-England*, *March* 28. 1754.

Gentlemen of the Council, and Houſe of Repreſentatives,

HAVING received in the Receſs of the Court ſome Diſpatches, which nearly concern the Welfare of the Province: I thought it neceſſary to require a general Attendance of the Members of both Houſes at this Meeting of the Aſſembly, that the Matters contain'd in them may have as full and ſpeedy a Conſideration, as the Importance of them ſeems to demand.

By Accounts ſent from *Richmond* Fort, and Declarations made before me and His Majeſty's Council, by two of the Settlers at *Frankfort*, upon the River *Kennebeck*, I am inform'd, that in the Summer before laſt a conſiderable Number of *French* ſettled themſelves on a noted Carrying-Place, made Uſe of by the ſeveral *Indian* Tribes inhabiting that Part of the Country, in their Paſſage to and from *Canada*, which ſeparates the Head of the aforeſaid River from that of the River *Chaudiere*, which laſt falls into the great River St. *Lawrence*, at Four Miles and a Half above the City of *Quebeck*.

And I have received further Intelligence, that the *French* are ſettled very thick for 12 Miles on each Side of the ſaid River *Chaudiere*, at about 30 Miles Diſtance above the Mouth of it, and in the Midway between the River St. *Lawrence* and the beforementioned Carrying-Place: And the Captain of *Richmond* Fort in his Letter, dated 23d of laſt *January*, informs me, That the *Norridgwalk Indians* have declared to him, "That they had given the new *French* Settlers upon the Carrying-Place, Liberty to hunt any where in that Country, as a Recompence for the great Service they will be of to them, in a Time of War with the *Engliſh*, by ſupplying them with Proviſions and Military Stores."

The ſame Officer further acquaints me, in another Letter, dated *February* the 11th, That ſeveral *Indians* of the *Arreſſiguntticook*, and ſome of the *Penobſcot* Tribe, amounting, together with the *Norridgwalk Indians*, to Sixty effective Men, beſides Boys, capable of bearing Arms, were then lately arrived in the Neighbourhood of the Fort under his Command: And that tho' they aſſembled there on Pretence of writing a joint Letter to me, as they have done, yet he had Reaſon to expect from their Haughty Inſolent Behaviour, the repeated open Threats of ſome of them, and the private Warnings from others, that as ſoon as the Rivers ſhould be free from Ice, they would commit Hoſtilities againſt the *Engliſh*, upon that and neighbouring Rivers; in which they intimate, they are to be aſſiſted by a Number of *French* from *Canada*, diſguis'd like *Indians*: And in another Letter, dated the 10th of *March*, he acquaints me, that the *French* Prieſt, Miſſionary to the *Indians* of the River *Kennebeck*, appeared to him to be continually uſing Artifices to excite the *Indians* to prevent our Settlements from being extended higher up it; to ſet them at Variance with the *Engliſh*; and diſpoſe them to a War with them this Spring.

Moſt of theſe Accounts are confirm'd by the Declarations of the before-mentioned Settlers at *Frankfort*, with the additional Circumſtances, that the *French* Prieſt had been very inquiſitive after *Roman* Catholick Families in that Settlement; and uſed Endeavours to draw off ſome of the Inhabitants into the Service of the *French*; particularly for building a Chapel and a Dwelling-Houſe for himſelf upon that River, about three or four Miles above *Cuſhana*, and at the Diſtance of 24 from *Frankfort*; and been very induſtrious to perſuade them that it was within the *French* Territories: And the *Indians* have further declared, that they have been inſtigated by the Governor of *Canada* to hinder the *Engliſh* from ſettling upon any Part of the River; which is ſtrongly confirm'd by a Depoſition of Capt. *Lithgow*, made in *Auguſt* laſt.

Upon this Occaſion, *Gentlemen*, I ſent as ſoon as might be, with the Advice of His Majeſty's Council, the neceſſary Reinforcements of Men and Stores to all the Eaſtern Forts; iſſued Commiſſions for raiſing ſix Independent Companies in the Townſhips and Diſtricts next adjacent to them, with Orders for the Officers and Soldiers to hold themſelves in conſtant Readineſs to march upon any Alarm, to the Succour of any neighbouring Fort or Settlement which may be attack'd; to cut off the Enemy in their Retreat; and in caſe that they ſhould find that the *Norridgwalk Indians* have committed Hoſtilities, to break up their Villages and Settlements upon *Kennebeck*, and to kill or captivate all they can meet with of their Tribe: I likewiſe ordered an Officer, commiſſioned by me for that Purpoſe, to proceed by the firſt Opportunity to the ſuppos'd Place of the new *French* Settlement, in order to diſcover the Certainty and Circumſtances of it; and to require the *French* Commandant to retire and withdraw the People under his Command from that Spot, as being under His Majeſty's Dominion, and within the Limits of this Government.

And I doubt not, *Gentlemen*, from your diſtinguiſh'd Zeal for the Defence of His Majeſty's Territories, and the Protection of his Subjects within this Government upon all Occaſions, but that upon a Refuſal of the *French* to comply with that Requiſition, you will make ſufficient Proviſion for enabling me to compel them with the arm'd Force of the Province, to free it from their Incroachments.

The Concern, *Gentlemen*, which you expreſs'd in your Meſſage to me at our Meeting in *December* laſt, upon your Apprehenſions of the imminent Danger, which the Province was in, from the *French* having fortify'd themſelves upon the River of St. *Johns*, cloſe to our Borders, leaves me no Room to doubt of your being ſenſible of the fatal Conſequences in the general that muſt attend Incroachments, which it ſeems plain they are now puſhing into the *Heart* of the Province (as the General Court in a Vote paſs'd the 16th of *January*, 1749, juſtly calls the River *Kennebeck*) unleſs they are timely removed.

But it may not be improper for me to obſerve to you in particular, that it appears from an Extract which I have lately caus'd to be made of ſome original Letters taken among Father *Ralle*'s Papers at breaking up the Indian Settlement at *Norridgwalk* in 1724, and which paſs'd between him, Father *Lauverjat*, Prieſt of the *Penobſcot* Tribe, and Father *La Chaſſe*, Superior of the Jeſuits at *Quebeck*, during the Indian War in the Years 1723 and 1724; That the Head of *Kennebeck* River, near which the *Indians* have declared the *French* have made a New Settlement, was the Centre of moſt of the Tribes then at War with us, and the general Rendezvous of all that came to the Eaſtern Parts: The *Hurons*, the *Iroquois* of the Falls of St. *Lewis*, the Tribe of St. *Francis* (or *Arreſſiguntticooks*) and the *Indians* of the *Seignorie* (as the *French* call them) of *Becancour* on the one Hand, uſed to aſſemble with the *Norridgwalks* here, from their ſeveral Settlements, and the *Penobſcots* from their River, on the other: Here they held their Conſultations, and from hence iſſued out in Parties united or ſeparate, as beſt ſuited them, againſt the *Engliſh*; hither they retired after Action, and brought their Wounded for Relief; and here, if they met with Proviſions, they far'd well; if not, they ſuffer'd greatly for Want of them.

It appears further from theſe Letters, that the ſeveral *French* Miſſionaries chiefly conducted and managed this War; that they had the Care of ſupplying the *Indians* with the neceſſary Proviſions and Stores for carrying it on; were employed to make them perſevere in it, and to puſh them on to their boldeſt Enterprizes; that they tranſmitted Accounts of their Proceedings to the Government of *Canada* thro' the Hands of the Superior of the Jeſuits at *Quebeck*, thro' whom likewiſe they received *their* Directions from thence; as the Governor of *Canada* ſeems to have done *his*, upon this Occaſion, from the Court of *France*.

And I would further obſerve, that this Route affords the *French* a ſhorter Paſſage for making Deſcents from *Quebeck* upon this Province, and deſtroying the whole Province of *Maine*, with the King's Woods there, and in the Government of *New-Hampſhire*, than any other whatever from *Canada*.

Theſe Advantages, which the Poſſeſſion of this River would give the *French* over this Province, make it eaſy to account for their conſtant Endeavours ever ſince the Treaty of *Breda*, at which it was determined in the moſt ſolemn Manner, between the two Crowns, that the River *Pentagoet* or *Penobſcot*, was the Boundary between *New-England* and *Accadia* or *Nova-Scotia*, to extend the Limits by Claim upon all Occaſions (as in Fact they have done) to the Eaſtern Side of the River *Kennebeck*; tho' they never attempted, until within theſe few Years, to paſs over the River St. *Lawrence*, within the Extent of this Province.

I am ſatisfied it is needleſs for me, *Gentlemen*, to urge any Thing more to ſhew how neceſſary for the Safety of this Government it is, that we ſhould ſecure to ourſelves the Poſſeſſion of this important River againſt the Incroachments of the *French* without Delay: And I think, the preſent Situation of Affairs in that Country muſt convince you, how vain a Scheme it would now be to have your ſole Dependance for gaining this Point upon making annual Preſents to *Indians*, who appear to have enter'd into an offenſive Alliance with the *French* againſt you; and have ſhew'd evident Marks of a Diſpoſition to put the River into their Power.

How different are ſuch Proceedings from thoſe of the *French*? Whilſt we have been ſuing in vain to a few *Indians* for their Permiſſion to ſettle Lands within the undoubted Limits of this Province, and which themſelves can't deny to have been purchaſed of their Anceſtors; and have in Effect promis'd them a yearly Tribute to reſtrain them from committing Acts of Hoſtility againſt us; the *French* have marched Armies into diſtant Countries of numerous and powerful Tribes, which without any Colour of Right they have invaded; They have forbid them to make further Grants of any of their Lands to the *Engliſh*, and have built, and are ſtill building ſtrong Forts, with an avow'd Intent to drive them off from the Lands already granted to them, and to exclude them from all Commerce with thoſe *Indians*, whom they have threatened with Deſtruction, if they ſhall preſume to interfere in their Favour.

It is Time, *Gentlemen*, for you to deſiſt from having your chief Dependance upon temporary Expedients, which ſeem rather to have expos'd the Government to the Contempt of theſe *Indians*, than to have conciliated their Friendſhip to it; and to take Counſel in Part from the Policy of our Neighbours.

Vigorous Meaſures againſt the *French*, in caſe they ſhall refuſe to quit his Majeſty's Territories within this Government, without being compell'd to it by Force; building a ſtrong Fort near the Head of the River *Kennebeck*, above the Settlements of the *Norridgwalk Indians*, and puſhing on our Settlements upon it, in a defenſible Manner, would effectually rid the Province of the Incroachments of the Former, and either hold the Latter in a due Dependance upon us, or oblige them to abandon the River.

And further, by making ourſelves, through this Means, Maſters of the Paſs, which was the general Place of Rendezvous during the *Indian* War in 1723 and 1724, of all the Tribes engaged in it, both in their Incurſions and Retreats, we ſhould have it in our Power to curb all thoſe *Indians* for the future; and in a great Meaſure prevent them from attempting to make Depredations in our expoſed Settlements.

I muſt further obſerve to you upon this Occaſion, *Gentlemen*, how dangerous Delays to make ſuitable Preparations for removing the *French* would be.

How practicable was it at *firſt*, to have put a Stop to their Proceedings, in building their Fort at *Crown-Point*? And you can't but remember, what miſchievous Effects of the Neglect to do that in the *Beginning*, were felt by this and the Province of *New York*, in the Ravages which they ſuffer'd from thence during the late War.

A ſhort Delay to diſlodge them from their Incroachments near the River *Kennebeck*, might give them an Opportunity of making themſelves Maſters of that River likewiſe, in the End; and in that Caſe we may expect ſoon to ſee another Fort built by them near the Mouth of it, and the *French* in Poſſeſſion of all the Sea Coaſt, between that and the River St. *Johns*.

Gentlemen of the Council, and Houſe of Repreſentatives,

I hope you will proceed in the Conſideration of theſe Matters with that Unanimity and Diſpatch which his Majeſty's Service and the Safety of the Province requires; And that you, *Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives*, will make the neceſſary Supplies.

Council-Chamber, *March* 28, 1754. *W. SHIRLEY.*

The SPEECH *of his Excellency* JONATHAN BELCHER, *Eſq; Captain General, Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over His Majeſty's Province of* Nova Cæſarea, *or* New-Jerſey, *and Territories depending thereon in* America, *Chancellor and Vice-Admiral of the ſame, &c. to the Council and General Aſſembly of the ſaid Province.*

Gentlemen of the Council, and of the General Aſſembly,

ALTHOUGH I am ſenſible it is a buſy Seaſon, yet His Majeſty's royal Orders, have made it abſolutely neceſſary to call you together at this Time; and I have directed the Secretary, to lay before you the following Letters: One from the Right Hon. the Earl of *Holderneſſe*, one of His Majeſty's principal Secretaries of State, dated *Whitehall*, *Auguſt* 28, 1753: And another from the Right Hon. the Lords Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantations, dated *Whitehall*, *September* 18, 1753. The firſt Letter you will ſee, relates to any hoſtile Attempts or Incroachments that ſhould be made on the Limits of the King's Dominions. And the other reſpects an Interview that is to be held, the Middle of *June* next, with the Chiefs of the *Six Nations* at *Albany*.

I have alſo ordered to be communicated to you, three Letters from the Honourable Mr. *Dinwiddie*, Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of His Majeſty's Territory and Dominion of *Virginia*; which gave you the Particulars of the Invaſion and Depredations made by a Body of *French* and *Indians*, on the King's Lands; and of the cruel Barbarities and Murders committed by them, on His good Subjects; and all done in Infraction of the Treaties of Peace, made between His *Britiſh* Majeſty and the *French* King.

I alſo ſend, with the other Letters mentioned, One from his Excellency Mr. *Shirley*, Governor of His Majeſty's Province of the *Maſſachuſetts Bay*, in *New-England*: Another from the Honourable Mr. *De Lancey*, Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of His Majeſty's Colony of *New-York*.

By theſe two Letters, you will find the unjuſt Attempts the *French* are making upon the King's Territories in *New-England*; and that they ſeem to be laying Schemes for a general Deſtruction and Ruin of the *Engliſh* Provinces on this Continent: As alſo, the great Neceſſity of our joining with the other Colonies, in ſending Commiſſioners to *Albany* in *June* next, there to conſult the moſt prudent Meaſures for holding and confirming the *Six Nations* in the *Engliſh* Intereſt. Yet, if, upon the Whole, there becomes a ſtrict Union among all His Majeſty's Colonies, we may reaſonably hope (with the Help of God) the Deſigns of the *French* will ſoon be rendered vain and abortive; which at preſent ſo nearly affect the Honour and Intereſt of the Crown of *Great-Britain*, as well as the future Peace and Welfare of this, and the neighbouring Provinces: I therefore earneſtly recommend to your moſt deliberate and mature Conſideration, theſe extraordinary Proceedings; and then I ſhall not doubt your doing every Thing in your Power, in Aid and Aſſiſtance with the Reſt of the *Engliſh* Colonies: I ſay, I hope you will chearfully unite with them, to ward off from yourſelves and your Poſterity, the fatal Conſequences that muſt attend the preſent unjuſtifiable Violences and Inſults of the *French* (in Conjunction with the *Indians*) And on this Occaſion it is with Pleaſure, Gentlemen, that I mention to you, the Zeal and Alacrity, with which many of our Neighbours have already exerted themſelves, for the King's Honour and Intereſt, and in Compaſſion to their Fellow-Subjects, on this uncommon Exigency. And your anſwering the King's juſt Expectations in theſe important Affairs, you may depend, will greatly recommend you to the Royal Grace and Favour.

Gentlemen,

You will, according to your wonted Care, make Inquiry into any temporary Laws that are expired, and that ought to be revived.

Gentlemen of the General Aſſembly,

As the Proviſion made in your laſt Seſſion, for the Support of the Government, expires the next Month; I ſhall not doubt your now doing what may be neceſſary for maintaining the Honour and Juſtice of the Province.

Gentlemen of the Council, and of the General Aſſembly,

I deſire you will conſider of any Thing you may think further needful to be done at this Seſſion, for His Majeſty's Service, and for the Welfare of His good People; and on your laying it before me, you may be aſſured, I ſhall heartily concur with you therein.

Elizabeth-Town, *April* 25, 1754. J. BELCHER.

Bourdeaux, Feb. 8. *Our Parliament's Arret of the 25th of January, was ſerved upon the Curate and the Vicars of Dax the 28th. The Curate abſconded, and the Vicars refuſed to obey the Arret, which ordered them to adminiſter the Sacraments to a ſick Lady. The Prior of the Carmelites, who had refuſed to perform a Funeral Service for the late M. Daillenc, has alſo fled from Juſtice. The Biſhop of Dax, dreading the Conſequence of this Affair, retired to Hortes, a little Town in his Dioceſe. However, the Informations ordered by the Parliament having been made, they were received Yeſterday; and this Day all the Chambers being aſſembled the Sollicitor preſented the Informations, and alſo two Petitions, one from the Relations of the late M. Daillenc, and the other from the ſick Lady, demanding the Execution of the Arrets already iſſued by the Parliament. To-morrow, 'tis expected, will produce ſome important Reſolution.*

Aix, Feb. 10. *The firſt Inſtant M. Caſtelin, Father-in-Law of M. de St. Michel, Lieutenant Civil in the Bailywick of Marſeilles, notified to M. Dargent, who as well as M. de Monclar is the King's Attorney-general in this Parliament, an Arret of the Council of State, ordering the Proſecution againſt M. de St. Michel to be ſuſpended, and the Motives thereto to be ſent to the Council. This Arret was notified by M. Caſtelin alone, as no Officer or Tip-Stoff could be prevailed upon to do it. The Attorney-general refuſed to receive it, and made a Report of the Matter to the Parliament; upon which, all the Chambers being aſſembled Yeſterday, came to the following Reſolution:*

"*That the Deliberation of the 14th of January laſt ſhall be executed; and to this End Deputies ſhall repair forthwith to the King, in order to carry him the moſt humble and moſt reſpectful Remonſtrances agreed upon in the ſaid Deliberation; and moreover to repreſent to the ſaid Lord the King, in the ſtrongeſt Manner, that his Parliament would render themſelves guilty of a Violation of the Laws of which by their Station they are the Depoſitaries, if they paid any Deference to an Arret that wants the reſpectable Marks of his Authority, and has all the Characteriſticks of being ſurreptitious; that the ſaid Arret overturns all Judicial Order, and the Rules of Subordination and Oeconomy, that conſtitute the Safety of the State, &c. &c.*

"*And the ſaid Lord the King ſhall be moſt humbly entreated to provide for the Maintenance of his Parliament's Authority and Dignity, who cannot with Honour continue their Functions, if they do not obtain the Revocation of the ſaid Arret, the Return of their Attorney-general to his Functions, and the Execution of their Decree againſt the Sieur St. Michel.*"

The firſt Preſident has been deſired to put himſelf at the Head of the Deputation, and has promiſed to do ſo with the King's Leave; for as he

he is Intendant of the Province, he cannot be abſent without Permiſſion from Court.

Bruſſels, Feb. 25. *The Meaſures taken by the Government to make the Commerce of theſe Provinces flouriſh, anſwer as well as can be expected: Ships from the Ports of France and Spain have not only come up directly to Ghent, but a Veſſel has alſo ſailed from thence for Cadiz, freighted with Linens, Laces, Thread, and other Manufactures of this Country.*

NEW-YORK, May 6.

We hear from Auguſtine (via South-Carolina) that a Veſſel of War belonging to his Catholick Majeſty, was juſt arrived there from the Havannah, the Captain whereof reported, that ſeveral armed Veſſels, with Men and Ammunition, were ſailed from thence for Campeachy, to join a Fleet that was fitting out there, with a Deſign to attack the Muſqueto-Shore. The above News may be depended on, as we have it from good Authority.

The General Aſſembly of Boſton have paſſed an Act for levying of Soldiers for the better Security of his Majeſty's Subjects inhabiting the Eaſtern Frontiers of that Province, from any Attempts that may be made by the Indians on that Quarter; and his Excellency Governor Shirley has iſſued a Proclamation to encourage the enliſting of Voluntiers for that Service.

Laſt Week another Seizure was made by George Harriſon, Eſq; of between 30 and 40 £. of Counterfeit Engliſh Halfpence.

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.

Friday laſt an Expreſs arrived here from Major Waſhington, with Advice, that Mr. Ward, Enſign of Capt. Trent's Company, was compelled to ſurrender his ſmall Fort in the Forks of Monongahela to the French, on the 17th paſt; who fell down from Venango with a Fleet of 360 Battees and Canoes, upwards of 1000 Men, and 18 Pieces of Artillery, which they planted againſt the Fort; and Mr. Ward having but 44 Men, and no Cannon to make a proper Defence, was obliged to ſurrender on Summons, capitulating to march out with their Arms, &c. and they had accordingly joined Major Waſhington, who was advanced with three Companies of the Virginia Forces, as far as the New Store near the Alleghany Mountains, where the Men were employed in clearing a Road for the Cannon, which were every Day expected with Col. Fry, and the Remainder of the Regiment.------We hear farther, that ſome few of the Engliſh Traders on the Ohio eſcaped, but 'tis ſuppoſed the greateſt Part are taken, with all their Goods, and Skins, to the Amount of near 20,000 £. The Indian Chiefs, however, have diſpatch'd Meſſages to Pennſylvania, and Virginia, deſiring that the Engliſh would not be diſcouraged, but ſend out their Warriors to join them, and drive the French out of the Country before they fortify; otherwiſe the Trade will be loſt, and, to their great Grief, an eternal Separation made between the Indians and their Brethren the Engliſh. 'Tis farther ſaid, that beſides the French that came down from Venango, another Body of near 400, is coming up the Ohio; and that 600 French Indians, of the Chippaways and Ottaways, are coming down Sioto River, from the Lake, to join them; and many more French are expected from Canada; the Deſign being to eſtabliſh themſelves, ſettle their Indians, and build Forts juſt on the Back of our Settlements in all our Colonies; from which Forts, as they did from Crown-Point, they may ſend out their Parties to kill and ſcalp the Inhabitants, and ruin the Frontier Counties. Accordingly we hear, that the Back Settlers in Virginia, are ſo terrify'd by the Murdering and Scalping of the Family laſt Winter, and the Taking of this Fort, that they begin already to abandon their Plantations, and remove to Places of more Safety.----The Confidence of the French in this Undertaking ſeems well-grounded on the preſent diſunited State of the Britiſh Colonies, and the extreme Difficulty of bringing ſo many different Governments and Aſſemblies to agree in any ſpeedy and effectual Meaſures for our common Defence and Security; while our Enemies have the very great Advantage of being under one Direction, with one Council, and one Purſe. Hence, and from the great Diſtance of Britain, they preſume that they may with Impunity violate the moſt ſolemn Treaties ſubſiſting between the two Crowns, kill, ſeize and impriſon our Traders, and confiſcate their Effects at Pleaſure (as they have done for ſeveral Years paſt) murder and ſcalp our Farmers, with their Wives and Children, and take an eaſy Poſſeſſion of ſuch Parts of the Britiſh Territory as they find moſt convenient for them; which if they are permitted to do, muſt end in the Deſtruction of the Britiſh Intereſt, Trade and Plantations in America.

JOIN, or DIE.

We hear that the General Aſſembly of this Province have voted the Sum of Ten Thouſand Pounds to be given to the King's Uſe at this Time; and alſo Five Hundred Pounds, to be given in Behalf of this Province, as a Preſent to the Indians of the Six Nations at the Treaty propoſed to be held at Albany in June next.

Captain Cotton, from Barbados, adviſes, that off of Guadaloupe he was boarded by a French Guard de Coaſt, who, after aſking him ſome Queſtions, and trying his Rum, Sugar, &c. left him, and went on board Capt. Lowther, of and for this Place from the ſame Iſland, of whom there is no Account ſince.

The Captains Reeſe, Liſle, Cookſon, and Wayles, from this Port; a Veſſel from Wilmington, and one from Salem, are arriv'd at Barbados.

Tueſday laſt the Ship Ariana, Capt. Kennedy, arriv'd here from Londonderry, by whom there is Advice, that Capt. Smith, in the Devonſhire, from New-York, was arriv'd there, and had met with ſtormy Weather on his Paſſage, in which he loſt his Boltſprit, and was obliged to throw overboard Part of his Cargoe: That in Lat. 56 N. he (Smith) took up all that were left of the People of the Ship Diligence, William Dixon Maſter, bound to Whitehaven from Choptank in Maryland, viz. The Captain, Mate, Supercargoe, one Foremaſtman, and two Boys; the reſt, ſeven in Number, being drown'd; which Ship, after being four Weeks at Sea, loſt her Maſts in a Gale of Wind, had every Thing ſwept off of her Decks, and when met with by the Devonſhire there was four Feet Water in her Hold; ſo that it was ſuppoſed ſhe muſt have ſunk ſoon after they left her. The Hands were quite worn out with Fatigue, having been eight Weeks in a moſt diſmal Condition; and the Supercargoe was ſo ſpent, that he died 3 Days before Capt. Smith got in.

Capt. Kennedy, about 200 Leagues to the Eaſtward of our Capes, met with a terrible Storm at Weſt and by South, and ſhipped a Sea, by which he loſt all his Maſts, had his Boat ſtove to Pieces, his Cabooſe, and every Thing on Deck, waſh'd overboard, and his Ballaſt ſhifting, the Veſſel lay down on her Side, and continued in that Condition for ſeveral Hours, till they got the Ballaſt ſhifted again, when ſhe righted. They then got up Jury-maſts, and pieced their Sails and Rigging in the beſt Manner they could, and got ſafe in, without the Loſs of any of their Hands.

By Captain Rankin, in ſix Weeks from Liverpool, we are informed, that Captain Magee ſailed two Weeks before him for this Place: And that a Veſſel, belonging to Liverpool, ſailed at the ſame Time with him for this Port.

Yeſterday the Ship Friendſhip, Capt. Wright, arrived here from the Spaniſh Main, in a very leaky Condition, who informs us, that when he was in the Harbour of Guira, in the Province of Santa Martha, a violent Gale of Wind ſprang up, at North-eaſt, on the 18th of March, which forced him out to Sea, with the Loſs of two Anchors and Cables: That ſome Time after he endeavoured to regain the Port of Guira; but the Wind ſtill contining to blow very hard, together with a ſtrong Leeward Current, found it impoſſible to get back, and ſo proceeded for Philadelphia: And that in coming through the Gulph of Florida, on the 17th of April, he ſtruck on a Reef of Rocks, called the Martiers, where, to lighten the Veſſel, he was obliged to throw overboard ſome Tons of Wood, by which the Ship was got off; and was then under a Neceſſity of cutting away his Anchor, to prevent her falling back on the ſame Rocks. While he was in Diſtreſs, Captain Church, of Rhode-Iſland, hove in Sight, and came to his Aſſiſtance; he ſpar'd him an Anchor, ſtaid by him two Days, and offer'd to ſtay longer, if there had been Occaſion, and to do him any Service in his Power.

Captain Lauderdale, from Jamaica, on the 27th of laſt Month, in Lat. 38. 22 North, 50 Leagues to the Eaſtward of Sandy-Hook, ſpoke with the William and Mary, bound to London from New-York.

The Managers of the Lottery for erecting a School-houſe for the Benefit of the Poor of the Dutch Reform'd Congregation, commonly call'd the Calviniſts, in Philadelphia, hereby give Notice, that the Drawing will certainly begin the Twentieth Inſtant, at the Place mention'd in the Scheme of ſaid Lottery.

A LIST of LETTERS in the *Poſt-Office* in *Third-ſtreet, Philadelphia* (not before advertiſed.)

A
George Adams, *N. Caſtle Co.*
Joſeph Airey, *Phil.*
John Adams, *ditto.*

B
Edward Ball, *ditto.*
Capt. George Briggs, *ditto.*
John Brown, *ditto.*
Daniel Bennett, *ditto.*
Moſes Brinton, *Lan. Co.*
James Brice *ditto.*
John Bailey, *Haddonfield.*

C
Caleb Cowpland, jun. *Cheſt.*
John Collins, *Glou. Co.*
John Campbell, *Copper Mines.*
John Collins, *Bucks.*
John Cooper, *Phil.*
Suſannah Copp, *ditto.*
William Conquergood, *ditto.*

D
Sarah Doddington, *ditto.*
Duncan Drummond, *Whit. Cr.*
Thomas Dunning, 2, *Bucks.*

E
Suſannah Edwards, *ditto.*

F
Richard Foſter, *Phil.*
Jean Forteſcue, *ditto.*
Mary Finch, *Lan.*

G
Peter Ganthony, *Phil.*

H
Robert Hinſhelwood, *ditto.*
William Hazelton, 2, *ditto.*
Mrs. Hanerwood, *Derby.*
Edward Howell, *Welſh Tract.*
John Hughſon, *Bucks.*

J
Michael Jeffery, *Phil.*
John Jerman, *Radnor.*
William Jeffery, *Wilming.*

K
James Knox, *Peach-Bot.*
Edward Kerr, *Phil.*

L
David Leeſholts, *ditto.*
Hezekiah Lipincut, *ditto.*
Sarah Levingſton, *Pecquea.*
James Love, *Cheſt. Co.*
Thomas Line, *ditto.*

M
John Melley, *ditto.*
James M'Farland, *Forks Br.*
John Maxwell, *Phil.*
Morgan Morgans, *ditto.*
Waltſon Marſh,
Nathaniel Matthews,
Griffith Minſhall, *Wilming.*

N
John Nicholſon, *Blockley.*
Ebenezer Northy, *Pennſyw.*
Mary Nelſon, *Phil.*

P
Adam and Deacon Paines, *ditto.*
James Parkinſon, *ditto.*

R
William Righ, *ditto.*

S
Richard Smith, *ditto.*
John Smith, *ditto.*
Capt. Salter, *ditto.*
Alexander Slater, *ditto.*
John Shannon, *ditto.*
Jacob Spicer, *Cape May.*
John Stapler, *Wilming.*
Thomas Sitgreaves, *Cheſt. Co.*
Richard Sanderſon, *ditto.*

T
Mr. Troot, *ditto*

W
George Webb, and Son, *Phil.*

Y
Robert Young, 2, *ditto.*

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Snow Meleſent, John Cotton from Ditto.
Brig Molly, Hugh Stewart from Jamaica.
Schooner Molly and Hannah, James Campbell from Boſton.
Brig Friendſhip, Thomas Fowle from Bermuda.
Sloop Speedwell, Fortunatus Sheerman from R. Iſland.
Ship Friendſhip, Hugh Wright from St. Martha.
Ship Ariana, Alexander Kennedy, from Londonderry.

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Schooner Abigail, Theophilus Cotton for Boſton.
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Sloop Betſey, Samuel Laing for Providence.
Snow Nancy, Samuel Appowen for W. Indies.

CLEARED. Brig Cumberland, John Lownes to Jamaica.
Snow Polly, Cony Edwards to Ditto.
Brig Shirley, Thomas Moore to Liſbon.
Sloop Roſe, John Clark to New-York.
Snow Betſey, Matthew Dreſſon to Madeira.
Sloop Speedwell, Clark Sheerman to R. Iſland.

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By its power on the ſtomach and lungs, &c. it gradually diſſolves congulated matter; and by the channel of the noſe, by the urine, inſenſibly carries off every kind of putrefaction, and by removing all obſtructions or oppreſſions on the breaſt, ſtomach and lungs, it eradicates the Aſthma, catarrh and phthiſic; recovers the ſtomach and nerves their genial tone and Action, and utterly annihilates all hyſterical diſorders.

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Its ſingular uſe and excellence conſiſts in being pleaſant in the taking, happy in the operation, and morally certain in the cure. It hinders no buſineſs, eating or drinking, &c.

In a word, as all diſtempers affect the head principally or eventually, ſo is the noſe preſum'd to be the proper channel, through which all wholſome phyſic ſhould paſs; and however ſingular this may appear, we humbly apprehend it capable of anatomical demonſtration, as well as experimental proof; and we ſhould be obliged to any anatomiſt or phyſician, to ſhew why all this might not be as well effected by the channel of the noſe, as by that of the mouth; becauſe, if there is any difference, we humbly apprehend it to be conſequent of ſome modern diſcovery. And we further challenge them to ſhew any medicine, or courſe of medicines, that will cure in general caſes with equal ſafety and diſpatch as the ROYAL PATENT MEDICINAL POWDER as SNUFF.

N. B. It has been imagin'd by ſome, that in cold or bad weather this medicine is liable to give cold, becauſe a very little phlegm ſometimes is in the paſſage to the noſtril, which is only the diſorder's working off; but in moving about in buſineſs, it clears that paſſage continually by its diſcharge, and on our faithful word no cold can be catched, or ever has, by this medicine, but quite otherwiſe, as we can pledge our character to this aſſertion; and that it cures the greateſt colds, and the tribe of diſorders they bring with them, in the worſt of weather; therefore is of great ſervice in the winter, as it abſolutely cures the aſthma, phthiſic, giving immediate relief, if ever ſo bad; quinſies and impoſthumes immediately cur'd. If we have fail'd in any caſe, we are ready to finiſh all ſuch cures in London gratis, or ſtand condemned.

SAMUEL MAJOR, Biſhopſgate-ſtreet.

*** *The aboveſaid* CHRISTOPHER MARSHALL *continues to ſell Turlington's balſam of life, Bateman's drops, Caſtiſh oil, Daffy's elixir, Stoughton's elixir, Squire's grand elixir, Hooper's female pills, Locker's pills, Scots pills, Banniſter's drops, Schwanberg's fever powder, and liquid ſhell, Godfrey's cordial, right French Hungary and lavender water; with great variety of drugs, medicines, dye-ſtuffs, &c. with oils and colours for painting, varniſhing and japaning, cinnamon, cloves, mace, and Watſon's ſnuff, wholeſale and retail, as uſual, at the loweſt rates.*

He gives the beſt price for ſnakeroot and bees-wax.

Imported in the ſhip Carolina, Stephen Meſnard commander, and the ſhip Myrtilla, William Marſden, from London, and to be ſold cheap, for ready money or ſhort credit, by

JAMES M'CULLOUGH,

At his ſtore in Front-ſtreet, where Meſſieurs Levy and Franks formerly lived, and Mr. George Miffiin lately removed from,

SAil-cloth, No. 1 to 7, FF gun-powder, glaiz'd and unglaiz'd, 8, 10, 12, and 20d nails, ſhot; durants, tammies, calimancoes, ſilk venetians, yd. wd. cords, flower'd ſattins, an aſſortment of Scotch thread, yd. and 3-8ths linen checks, ditto cotton, cotton hollands, dy'd fuſtians, cotton thick ſetts, bluſh, black and white half eil perſians, cloth and light colour'd ſewing ſilk, aſſortment of ribbons, ferrits, pins and tape, womens hair hats, brown buckram, printed linen, light and purple ground, ſheeting linen, ſuperfine lace, gathies, ſilk and hair buttons, fans, China black taffeties, cloth colour'd ditto, Scotch handkerchiefs, ſilk ditto, pot paper, printed calicoes and chints, 6 qr. muſlin, ell-wide ditto, yard-wide ditto, childrens pumps, womens ſhoes, demy cambrick, demy 7-eighths clear lawns, tandem, tandem garliz, long lawns, Cumberland handkerchiefs, princes linen, Flander's bed-ticks, Dutch pretties, ſealing wax, ſnuff boxes, ozenbrigs, ticklingburgh, heſſen, childrens ſpotted hoſe, mens and womens ditto, double and ſingle ſilk caps, Turkey oil ſtones, aſſortment of Iriſh linen, clouting diaper, ell-wide blue perſian, ſtriped ditto, brimſtone, copperas and allom, yard-wide tanjebs, cotton romals, plain and flower'd bandanoes, tea and cinnamon, 3-qr. linen check, pepper, aſſortment of pewter, iron mongery, and ſundry other goods ſuitable for the ſeaſon.

Imported in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold by

JOSEPH MORRIS,

At his ſtore, next door to Robert Ragg, at the corner of Black horſe-alley, in Front-Front-ſtreet,

WESTON's beſt Snuff, and a great choice of English and India goods, very ſuitable for the ſeaſon. The

Best possible image.

PATRICK HAMILTON, hereby gives notice to all persons who may have occasion to transport themselves, goods, wares, or merchandize, from Philadelphia to Newcastle, or from the latter to the former, that he keeps a convenient boat, which attends on Wednesdays at Hamilton's wharff, Philadelphia, and proceeds to Newcastle on Thursdays, and there gives her attendance on Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays, and proceeds to Philadelphia the Tuesdays following.

TO be sold by publick Vendue by the subscriber, living in Darby township, Chester county, on the 23d of May inst. A plantation, containing about 72 acres of very good land, about 40 thereof cleared, and within good fence, some meadow cleared, and more may be made, the rest well water'd and timber'd, a fine young orchard of choice fruit, now in the tenure of Daniel Douglass, situated about a mile and a half from Darby town, near the king's road leading from Darby to Chester, &c. The sale to begin about two a clock the same day on the premises, where attendance will be given by SWAN BOON. ¶

THIS is to give notice to all persons indebted to Randle Mitchell, or Randle and Alexander Mitchell (without exception of persons) upwards of three months, that they discharge their respective debts before the first of June next, otherwise they may expect to be proceeded against as the Law directs (as Randle intends leaving this province in September next.) And all persons who have any just demands against them, are desired to bring in their accounts, that they may be settled and paid. Tbctf.

Just imported from Liverpool, in the ship Susannah, Moses Rankin Commander, and to be sold by

THOMAS MONTGOMERY,

At Mr. John Stamper's wharff,

A Quantity of English salt, loaf sugar, cheese, potatoes, earthenware, of different kinds; also a parcel of English men and women servants; likewise a good assortment of European and East-India goods, to be sold cheap, by said Montgomery, at his store, near Christine-Bridge.

Just imported from London, in the ship Myrtilla, Capt. Marsden, and to be sold by

JOSEPH OGDEN,

In Chestnut-street, near Second-street, the following goods;

BRoadcloths, saggathies, durants, colour'd fustians, ozenbrigs, yd. wd. and yd. and 3-8ths cotton checks, striped cotton hollands, Irish linen, calicoes, black, blue, and cloth colour'd taffeties, striped, plain, and black persians, grazetts, mens and womens thread stockings, womens black, blue, and grey hair hats, Leghorn ditto, womens white hair bonnets, single silk caps, best balladine silk, women's white and colour'd best kid mits, bordered bandannoes, cotton laces, three yard silk ditto, bone and cocoa stick fans, Scotch thread, colour'd ditto, tapes and bobbin, pins and needles, women's shoes, watch strings and seals, nutmegs, cinnamon, cloves, mace, French indico, knives and forks, pistol cap'd knives, cuttoe ditto, brass handled penknives, brass ink-pots, best white metal coat and waistcot buttons, sleeve buttons, brass shoe and knee buckles, women's brass thimbles, snuff-boxes, ivory combs, carpenters rules, barbers cards and brushes, currying knives, long and short scythes, duck shot, blue and white china cups and saucers, wine glasses, looking-glasses, mens and womens horse-whips, Chambers's dictionaries, and sundry other goods.

Just imported in the last ship from London, and to be sold by

BELL and LAWRENCE,

At their store in Water-street, next door to Joshua Fisher, and opposite Fishbourn's wharff,

HEmpen and flaxen ozenbrigs, 7-eights garlix, 3-qr. 7 eights, yard-wide, and yard 3 eights linen checks, 7-eights and yard 3 eights cotton ditto, princes linens, pomerania linens, 7-eights Irish dowlas, 7-eights and yard-wide Irish linens, calicoes, printed linens, long lawns, pistol lawns, cambrick and clear lawns, 6-qr. muslins, China and English taffeties, black striped and blush ell-wide persians, bandanoes, lungee and silk romals, shaloons, calimancoes, durants, tammies, saggathies, horse-whips, and sundry other goods.

CHARLS DUTENS, jeweller, from London, at the sign of the Ring and Dove, near the Indian King, in Market-street, Philadelphia, Gives notice to all gentlemen, and ladies, that he has lately imported from London, by the Beulah, Capt. Ritchie, and by the Myrtilla, Capt. Marsden, a large parcel of the best paste and Bristol stone buttons set in silver, for jackets and sleeves, stone buckles, solitairs, rings and ear-rings of all kinds and prices; as also a parcel of Sterling plate, being silver snuff-boxes, at choice, gilded within, and chased on the top, silver tea-spoons, tea-tongs, of the newest fashions, silver-top, steel-top, and open top'd thimbles, silver chains for tea-pots, pincoushens, scissars, and for watches, silver plate buttons, silver stay-hooks, stone ditto, coral necklaces, whistles and Bells, tortoishell buttons, mounted with silver, loop and roset, for coat, jacket and breeches, &c. at very reasonable rates. Said Dutens continues to make and repair mourning rings, with either white or black enamel: He has very neat patterns imported for buckles, and all sorts of jewels; and undertakes in his shop all kind of gold and silver work, chased or otherwise. Those that will be pleased to honour him with their custom, may depend on being faithfully serv'd, and have their work made after the neatest and newest fashions as done in London.

N. B. He gives ready money for diamonds, old gold and silver, or takes it in exchange for work. †

RUN away the 26th of April last, from the subscriber hereof, a servant man, named Hugh M'Mahan, aged about 40 years, and about 5 feet 10 inches high, a great snuffer, a cooper by trade: Had on when he went away, a brown half-worn cloth jacket, a check Shirt, old buckskin breeches, grey yarn stockings, an old felt hat, and wears his own hair. Whoever takes up the said servant, and secures him, so as his master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings reward, paid by me ¶ DAVID SMITH.

N. B. He formerly lived in Philadelphia. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

RUN away yesterday, from David Davis, of Charles-Town, Chester county, a Dutch servant man, named John Adam Herner, about 20 years of age, talks very bad English, about 5 feet high, a well-set fellow, has a down look, pale face, thin lightish beard, never had been shav'd, and wears his own hair: Had on when he went away, an old felt hat, blue ragged coat, little jacket, without sleeves, both of a colour, with Dutch metal buttons, old torn shirt, old leather breeches, the fore part buckskin, and the hind part sheep-skin, old stockings, and good shoes. Took a parcel of provision, and an old blanket, with him. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by DAVID DAVIS.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

Just imported in the ship Beulah, from London, and to be sold by

SAMUEL EMLEN,

At the sign of the Golden Heart, opposite the Market,

DR. Benjamin Godfrey's general cordial, by the dozen or larger quantities, with good allowance to sell again. Where may be also had, Dr. Bateman's pectoral drops, Betton's British oil, Turlington's balsam, Fraunce's strengthening elixir, Dr. Hooper's Pills, Daffy's elixir, Anderson's true Scots pills, Schwanberg's liquid shell, Bostock's elixir, &c.

To be sold, on very reasonable terms, by

JOSEPH GALLOWAY, and SAMUEL JOHNS,

SIX Thousand acres of land, situated in the county of Kent, on Delaware, 1000 acres whereof is situated in Duck-creek hundred, about four miles from Duck-creek town (otherwise called Salisbury) and about five miles from a convenient landing, is well water'd and timber'd, hath sundry good farms already cleared, and dwelling-houses with sundry out-houses thereon, part whereof is low and rich swamp, which may be made into good meadow, and in general, produces extraordinary grain of all sorts. Also several farms, and 1600 acres in three several adjoining tracts, situated in the lower part of said county, in the hundred of Muspillion, on the east and west sides of a large quantity of fertile rich fresh marsh, or natural meadow, called Marshy-hope, which produces extraordinary grass without culture, a fine stream of water running through the middle thereof; a large range of marsh for stock adjoining, and is in every respect suited for the breeding and raising of cattle, horses and hogs, &c. at a very small expence, and it is distant from a landing about 12 miles; part of which said marsh will be laid out to the several purchasers in proportion to the quantity of land they shall agree to purchase; the upland produces extraordinary grain, and the meadow the best of grass, without manure. Also a messuage, plantation and tract of 200 acres, situated in Murderkill hundred, well water'd and timber'd, a part whereof may be made into good meadow, hath a large range for stock adjoining, and is distant from a landing about 10 miles. Likewise about 3400 acres of unimproved land, situated in the hundred of Muspillion aforesaid, between the Black Swamp and Marshy Hope aforesaid, for the most part laid out in 300 acre tracts, suited as aforesaid for raising stock of all kinds, will produce grain or tobacco very kindly, and is distant from a landing about 7 miles; from all which said landings all kinds of grain, &c. are transported to Philadelphia at the low rate of Three-pence per bushel. Also to be sold by the said Samuel Johns, a brick messuage, two stories high, with three commodious rooms on a floor, with barns, tobacco houses, stables and quarters for Negroes, and a tract of 800 acres of fertile rich land, 260 whereof is cleared, and under good fences, part whereof is meadow, produces extraordinary grain or tobacco, is distant about 4 miles from Dover, and three miles from two landings; the title is indisputable. And likewise about 600 acres, situated in the forest of said county, about eight miles from a landing. Any person inclining to purchase any part of the said lands, may have credit for any term not exceeding 5 years, and the payments made easy by annual proportions; and any number of families inclining to settle contiguous to each other, may have any quantity they shall choose laid out adjoining, and may know the terms of sale by applying to Joseph Galloway, in Philadelphia, or Samuel Johns, in said county.

Tbc. 2 m.

TO be sold by publick vendue, by John Perkins, at five a clock, on the tenth of May, at the house of John Thomas, at the sign of the Fort, A lot or piece of ground, situated on Society-hill, on the south side of Argyle-street, containing in breadth 20 feet and a half, and in length 67 feet, bounded eastward with a house of William Hodge, and westward with a house of Mr. Carrell's; subject to no ground-rent. ¶

Philadelphia, April 23, 1754.

RUN away on Sunday last, from Barnet Vanhorne, living in Northampton township, Bucks county, A Dutch servant man, named Hance Dieder, about 35 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, and very well-set, has lost two of his upper teeth, pretty full faced, and has straight brown hair: Had on, A blue Dutch coat and jacket, linen breeches, grey yarn stockings, middling good Dutch shoes, with nails in the soals, and a coarse felt hat. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Five Pounds reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by BARNET VANHORNE. ¶

Philadelphia, April 23, 1754.

RUN away on Sunday morning last, from Joseph Carter, Miller, in Northampton township, Bucks county, A Dutch servant man, named John Leonard Zembes, a middle sized fellow, well-set, of a fresh colour, and has black bushey hair: Had on when he went away, A silk camblet coat, which has been turned, and much worn, and is pretty much patched with the same, with a snuff colour'd patch on the back, old leather breeches, blue stockings, footed a little above the shoes with pale blue, half-worn shoes, with brass buckles, homespun shirt, and a broad brimmed hat. He's by trade a pin and button-maker. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Five Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, paid by ¶ JOSEPH CARTER.

Philadelphia, April 23, 1754.

RUN away yesterday morning, from Edward Hughes, of Passyunk township, Philadelphia county, An Irish servant man, named Thomas Burk, about 36 or 38 years of age, about 5 feet 9 inches and a half high, black complexion, wears his own short black curl'd hair: Had on when he went away, An old felt hat, new homespun shirt, and took another with him, brown homespun coat, with metal buttons, old striped linsey-woolsey jacket, check handkerchief, leather breeches, yarn stockings, of a browniish colour, and good shoes, the toe of one cut off. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Twenty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by EDWARD HUGHES. ¶

N. B. He talks pretty much with the brogue, and has been a soldier.

Kent County, Maryland, April 15, 1754.

RUN away last night, from the subscriber, living in Kent county, Maryland, A servant man and woman, both Irish convicts; the man named Joseph Bradford, a lusty down looking fellow, about 23 years of age, thin visage, his hair cut off, and he's about 6 feet high: Had on, A coarse black and white kersey jacket and breeches, brown broad-cloth great coat, check shirt, and two ozenbrigs shirts. He carried with him two pistols, one with a brass barrel. The woman named Mary Chambers, alias Connor, but may pass for the fellow's wife; she's of a middle size, well set, looks as if she had sore eyes: Had on, A velvet jockey cap, red cloak, two check aprons, two linsey-woolsey petticoats, two silk and two linen handkerchiefs, a striped cotton gown, and a check linen ditto, and several other wearing apparel. They have a pass of a certain Terence Burns, with the seal of the aforesaid county to it, and may possibly pass by the name of the said Burns. Whoever secures the said servants, so as the owner may have them again, shall have Three Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, besides what the law allows, paid by ALEXANDER BAIRD.

RUN away on Tuesday the 26th of March last, from Amos Grandine, of the Northern Liberties of Philadelphia, a Servant man, named John M'Laughlin, of a middle size, round visage, his hair lately cut off, and wears an old worsted cap; by trade a butcher, and served part of his time with Joseph Dobbins, in Philadelphia: He had on when he went away, a brown home-spun cloth jacket, old leather breeches, old beaver hat, shoes patched on the hind-quarters. Whoever takes up and secures him, so as his Master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by AMOS GRANDINE. *

To be sold by the SUBSCRIBER,

A Negro man, about 30 years old, and a Negro woman, about 21; they are sold for no fault, the owner having no employment for them. Also a house to be lett in Fourth-street, near Market-street. MARCUS KUHL. Tbc. 3 Mo.

Philadelphia, April 23, 1754.

RUN away, from on board the Dursley Galley, William Hamilton master, two servant men; one named Patrick Dun, blind of the right eye: Had on when he went away, a blue coat, black waistcoat, scarlet breeches, and holland Cap. The other, named Thomas Loyder, a tall thin fellow, and speaks bad English, had on when he went away, a ratteen surtout coat, striped waistcoat, and leather breeches. Whoever takes up the above servants, or either of them, by securing them in any of the county goals, or delivering them to John Rowan, on Society-hill, shall have Twenty-Shillings, reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by

* JOHN ROWAN.

Philadelphia, April 25, 1754.

THREE POUNDS, Reward.

RUN away on the first instant, from Pennel Evans, living in Union township, Berks county, a Welsh servant Lad, named Joseph Davis, alias Williams, about 18 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high; he is a strong well-set fellow, very much pitted with the small-pox, and has short dark brown hair: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, a browniish homespun camblet coat, a kearsey jacket, with slash sleeves, and brass buttons, old buckskin breeches, two new shirts, one of them tow, and the other flax; two pair of stockings, one of a greyish worsted, and the other deep blue yarn, with some strokes of white; two pair of shoes, one pair old, and the other almost new: He also took with him a long smooth bore gun, and a wallet, mark'd PE, with blue yarn; likewise took some other things not yet known. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so that his master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, paid by PENNEL EVANS.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

NOtice is hereby given, That John Hall is absconded from his usual place of abode, and not paid his just debts, and his goods and effects are attach'd, therefore all his creditors are requir'd to appear the 20th day of May next, at 12 a clock, before me, with their bonds, bills and book accounts, that each man may receive as the law directs. Given under my hand this 20th day of February, 1754. JOHN SCOTT, in Chester County. §

RUN away from Thomas England, of Philadelphia, Tallow-Chandler, A servant man, named Morgan M'Anally, about 5 feet high, of a fair complexion, smooth face, and thin visage: Had on when he went away, An old hat, Germantown cap, double breasted old red jacket, check shirt, black leather breeches, with old check trowsers over them, black stockings, and good shoes, with copper buckles. Whoever secures the said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Twenty Shillings reward, if taken in town, if taken 7 miles, or further, from town, Thirty Shillings, and reasonable charges, paid by

§ THOMAS ENGLAND.

N. B. The said servant liv'd at Mount-holly iron-works, and 'tis supposed that he is gone that way.

TO BE SOLD,

THE mills and plantation of Nathaniel Ware, Esq; six miles above Trenton, on the river Delaware, West-Jersey: The plantation contains about 400 acres, 200 of which are cleared; the land is of easy culture, and the soil extremely natural to all sorts of grain, wheat being neither liable to be devoured by insects, nor heav'd out by the Frosts. There are two good dwelling-houses, a large barn, cart-house, smoke-house, and cooper's shop, a neat garden, with cedar pales, a young bearing orchard, and the whole under good fence: The mill-house is of stone, 60 feet in length, and 24 in breadth, is an over-shot, has two pair of stones, the boulting-mill, &c. all go by water; it is well accustom'd, and known to make as good work as the best mills in the Jerseys; it may always command wheat enough, and is conveniently situated for New-York and Philadelphia markets, being less than 30 miles of good waggon road from Brunswick; and the Boats, carrying 50 or 60 casks, may load at the mill door for Philadelphia. Whoever inclines to purchase the same, either the whole or part, may apply to William Clayton, or William Pidgeon in Trenton, and be by them informed of the title and conditions of sale.

To be SOLD,

A LIKELY Negroe Girl, about eleven Years of Age, is very handy, and is fit for Town or Country Business. Enquire at the NEW-PRINTING-OFFICE. ***

Just imported from London, and to be sold by

STEPHEN CARMICK,

At at store under Capt. William Spofford's, in Market-street, near Market-wharff,

OZenbrigs, 6 qr. yard, 7-eights and 3-qr. cotton and linen checks, fine and coarse yard-wide and 7-eights Irish linens, yard-wide tandems, garlix, buckrams, long lawns, broad lawns and cambricks, chints, calicoes, printed cottons, and fine hair colour'd printed linens, cotton romals, linen handkerchiefs, new romals, lungees, spotted and flower'd bandanoes, black, blue, striped, changeable cloth colour'd persian taffeties, blue and cloth colour'd boil'd camblets, yard-wide and narrow corded poplins, worsted and thread stockings, tammies, durants, shaloons, black, blue and scarlet everlastings, scarlet garters, in garters and whole pieces, cotton and silk laces, 6-qr. muslin, quality binding, vermillion, brown hessens, superfine saggathies, scarlet, blue, black and cloth colour'd knit breeches, horse-whips, best baladine sewing silks of all colours, Scots, Nuns, and colour'd threads, best superfine broad-cloths, Irish and Russia sheeting, colour'd fustians, writing paper, Weston's best snuff, best mill-saws, powder, shot, cutlary, &c.

RUN away from the subscriber, living in Cæcil county, Maryland, within 6 miles of Charles-Town, on the 18th inst. An Irish servant man, named James Allen, about 24 years of age, short chunkey fellow, with lightish brown hair: Had on when he went away, An old dark coat, with brass buttons and round cuffs to the sleeves, old red jacket without sleeves, a felt hat, cloth breeches, patched at both knees, dark colour'd yarn stockings, tow shirts, and good shoes, with buckles. It is supposed he has got a companion, or perhaps may change his apparel, especially his red jacket. Whoever secures the said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me) ISAAC JANNEY.

THREE POUNDS REWARD,

LOST, or mislaid, some time since, a NEW SILVER WATCH, No. 635, engraved on the inner Case ROGER HUNT. Whoever brings the same to the New-Printing-Office, shall have the above Three Pounds Reward.

Just imported, and to be sold by

REDMOND CONYNGHAM,

Very cheap for ready money, or usual credit,

YARD-wide and 7-8ths Irish linen, Irish and foreign ozenbrigs, yard and 3-8ths, yd. wd. and 7-8ths cotton and linen checks, 3-qr. and 7 8ths striped hollands, long and clear lawns in pieces and patches, cambricks in pieces and patches, No. 1 to 8. best English canvas, with sundry other linen-drapery goods. Also Irish beef by the barrel.

☞ *Lost or mislaid two weeks ago, a large Portuguese cloak, brown camblet outside, lined with green bays. Whoever will return it to said Redmond Conyngham, or apprize him where it may be had, shall have Twenty Shillings reward.* ¶

VEry good Lamp-black sold at the New-Printing-Office.

FOUR POUNDS *Reward.*

RUN away on the 18th of January last, from John Ladd, of Glouceſter county, in New-Jerſey, A ſervant Man, nam'd John Armus, or Huckaback, of middle ſize, pale complexion, blind of one eye, it being ſunk in his head, about 28 years of age: Had on, and took with him, A good felt hat, worſted cap, or an old wig, an old light colour'd coat, with braſs buttons, without lining, a blue and white linſey woolſey jacket, with one ſleeve all blue, half worn leather breeches, ozenbrigs trowſers, two ozenbrigs ſhirts, a homeſpun black and white under jacket, two pair of yarn ſtockings, one pair grey, the other of a dark colour, neats leather ſhoes, almoſt new. He can ſpeak Dutch, but appears to be this country born; has lived ſeveral years with Thomas Roberts, jun. about two miles eaſtward from Germantown. Whoever ſecures him, ſo as he may be had again, ſhall have Four Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by JOHN LADD.

N. B. He took with him a falling ax. Tbc.

JOHN GROVES is removed from his ſtore on Carpenter's Wharff, to a Houſe in Front-ſtreet, oppoſite Mr. Robert Moore's; where he has to ſell, A neat Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India Goods.

Philadelphia, April 5, 1754.

RUN away, laſt night, from Wallace and Bryan, on Market-ſtreet wharff, a north of Ireland ſervant man, named Richard Devine, of a middle ſtature, freſh complexion, and ſimple in his looks and behaviour. Had on, a dark foreſt cloth coat, remarkably ſhort, a pair of black everlaſting breeches, a ſtriped flannel waiſtcoat, check ſhirt, grey hoſe, a hat and wig. He alſo took with him a pair of ſcarlet breeches, a fuſtian waiſtcoat, two other pair of hoſe, and two ſpare wigs. Whoever takes up and returns ſaid ſervant to his maſters, ſhall have Fifty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by WALLACE and BRYAN.

N. B. There is ſome reaſon to think he went towards Bucks county.

Juſt imported in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold exceeding cheap, by

WILLIAM MOORE,

At his ſtore in Front-ſtreet, next door to Mr. Tench Francis, junior, and oppoſite Mr. John Armit's,

SAxon green, ſaxon blue, buff colour'd, pink, white, crimſon, and a great variety of cloth colour'd Engliſh and Eaſt-India ſilk damaſks, ditto ſattins and paduaſoys, ſilk grograms, ducapes, tabbies, ſtriped and plain perſians, ſarſnet, luteſtrings, black alamode, mantuas, grograms, black ſilk and hair prunello, ditto lutherine white peelings, vaturets, variety of plain and figur'd ſilks for mens wear, black and cloth colour'd velvets, vature ſhapes for mens veſts, velvet ditto, bombazeen, black, white and cloth colour'd double and ſingle alopeens, a great choice of light and dark ground calicoes, chints of the neweſt faſhion patterns, ſuperfine dark ground and china blue chintz for bed curtains, beſt ſuperfine hyſon tea, bohea tea, colour'd and ſtriped ginghams, dyſookſoys, ſooſees, necanees, chillaes, caſhalees, Guiney ſtuffs, jaconets, mulmuls, coſſaes, adaties, humhums, bordered and ſpotted bandanoes, Engliſh manufactured ſilk handkerchiefs, double and ſingle ſilk, worſted and cotton caps, velvet ditto, a large aſſortment of plain and figured ribbons, broad and narrow ferrits, ſilk quality, Bruſſels and Flanders bone lace, gold and ſilver lace, cambricks and lawns in pieces and patches, 7-eights and yard-wide culgees, a large aſſortment of fine, ſuper and beſt ſuperfine ſaxon green, ſaxon blue, ſcarlet, black, blue and cloth colour'd Spaniſh broad-cloths, ditto napped-cloths, blue, red and cloth-colour'd coating, ditto Whitney's, light and dark colour'd foreſt-cloths, napped beaver-cloths and bearſkins, duffils, ſtrouds, blue red, green and cloth-colour'd half-thicks, yard-wide and 6-qr. bays, ſcarlet, red and white flannel, ſtriped and emboſſed ditto, ſwanſkins, peniſtons, plain and corded druggets, blue, black and cloth-colour'd barragons, ſcarlet, blue and cloth colour'd German ſerges, grandurels, ſcarlet, blue, green and cloth colour'd plain twilled everlaſtings, ſilk vandinees, ſuperfine ſilk and worſted ſaggathies, worſted grograms, plain and changeable grazets, new faſhioned ſattin ſtrip'd queen ſtuffs, 3-qr. 7-eights, yard-wide and 6-qr. cotton and linen checks, ſtriped cotton hollands, ſuperfine ſilk ditto, broad holland, cotton and ſilk gowns, cherriderries, double and ſingle Flanders bedtick, bed-bunts, Scotch linen handkerchiefs, printed muſlin ditto, pillow fuſtians, barragons, India demities, corded ditto, white and colour'd jeans, variety of white ſtriped cotton counterpains, womens ſcarlet and cloth colour'd cloaks, fine and ſuperfine boiled camblets, hairbines, plain and ſtriped calimancoes, camblettees, double and ſingle worſted damaſks, yard-wide floretta, ſtarrets, durants, corded poplin, tammies, plain and ſtriped ſtuffs, a very large aſſortment, rattinets, ſhaloons and durants, blue, green, black, ſcarlet and cloth colour'd hair ſhags, everlaſtings, white and brown buckram, black, ſcarlet, green, blue and cloth colour'd ſilk and worſted knit patterns for veſts and breeches, cotton gloves and mittens, great choice of mens, womens, boys and girls cotton, thread and ſilk ſtockings, worſted damaſk ſhoes, beſt beaver hats, caſtor and felt ditto, white and colour'd glazed gloves and mittens, womens kid ditto, wig ribbon and cawls, ſtay braid and twiſt, watch ſtrings, ſilk and cotton laces, nonſopretties, ſtriped cotton, broad and narrow filletting and diaper tape, bobbins, broad and narrow worſted qualities, variety of ſcarlet and figured gartering, ſuperfine Nuns, Scotch and dozen thread, white and colour'd ditto, ſhirt buttons, great choice of necklaces, a curious aſſortment of fans and ſnuff boxes, playing cards, violin ſtrings, mens and womens horſe-whips, mahogony tea boards and cheſts, tea ſpoons and tongs, ſuperfine razors and pen knives of caſt ſteel, variety of table knives and forks, ivory, ſtag and bone hunters ditto, butchers ditto, piſtol capp'd pen knives, ſtag knives with gun ſcrews, mohawks and ſeals, ſciſſars, wool and taylors ſhears, mens and womens braſs and ſteel thimbles, mens, womens and boys ſhoe and knee buckles, ſteel chapes and tongues, gold pattern ſleeve buttons, flat and round white and yellow metal buttons, a very large aſſortment of horſe-hair and ſilk and hair buttons, with ſilk twiſt of all colours, jet buttons, braſs and leather inkpots, gilt leather caſes, pocket books, ſpectacles, fountain pens, ſcales, braſs locks, blades, tacks, ivory combs, braſs dividers, ſtay-hooks, ſcythes, ſome very curious caſes of houlſter and pocket piſtols, cuttoes, ozenbrigs, 3-qr. 7-eights and yard-wide garlix, tandems, bag hollands, Ruſſia linen, ditto diaper, piſtol lawns, long lawns, 3-qr. 7-eights and yard-wide Iriſh linens, princes linens, pomerania ditto, 9-eights and ell-wide ſheeting linen, brown hollands, fine and coarſe, plain and fringed table-cloths, linen damaſks and diaper, clouting ditto, chucklaes, ſtriped nillaes, pepper, coffee, mace, cinnamon, cloves, tea-kettles, beſt London pewter, diſhes, plates and baſons of ſundry ſorts, large and ſmall ſpoons, poringers, quart pots, ſauce pans, large and ſmall bath-metal tea-pots, cream-pots, ſamplering canvas, Weſton's ſnuff, gun-powder, ſhot, lead, ſteel, ſuperfine and thick poſt paper, propatria ditto, Britiſh oil, Daffy's elixir, hungary water, Stoughton's bitters, whiſks, clogs, goloſhes, childrens morocco leather ſhoes, Flander's bed-tick, cane for hooping, coat and veſt hair-cloths, a great variety of ſtay trimmings, and a very large aſſortment of ſadlery, &c. &c. &c. Tbct.

To be ſold by

THOMAS ELLIS,

Glazier, in Front-ſtreet, oppoſite Black-horſe-alley,

SHeet lead, mill'd or caſt bar ditto, Briſtol glaſs, of ſundry ſizes, by the box or retail, London crown ditto, of any ſize, fit for clocks, ſamplars, pictures, white lead, red ditto, vermilion, Perſian blues of ſundry ſorts, leaf gold, looking glaſſes, linſeed oil, ſtreet lamps, &c. Tbctf.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, on Sunday night, being the laſt day of march, a ſervant Man, named Francis Lolley, he's a middle ſiz'd fellow, about 5 feet 5 inches high, black hair, curls pretty much, black eyes, and thin black beard, brown complexion: He took with him a coarſe felt hat, a coarſe worſted cap, ringed red, white and blue, brown ſilk handkerchief, coarſe country linen ſhirts, dark brown coat, without lining, trimmed with horn buttons, linſey-woolſey veſt, the fore-parts ſtriped, with a large faded red ſtripe, and white, black and yellow ſmall ſtripes, without ſleeves, the hind-parts white, with horn buttons, his breeches is coarſe linſey-woolſey, ſtriped black and white, with horn buttons, and fretted on both knees, a pair of coarſe trowſers, pretty ſhort, coarſe black ſtockings, alſo a pair of blue grey ribbed ditto, and a pair of coarſe country ſhoes, tied with ſtrings. He's a Worceſter man. Whoever takes up the ſaid fellow, and ſecures him, ſo as his owner may have him again, ſhall have Two Piſtoles reward, beſides what the law allows; and if brought home Five Pounds current money, paid by William Boulton, living near Collins's mill in Queen Ann's county, Maryland.

To be SOLD, or LETT,

A Plantation, or tract of land, containing 485 acres, at Maiden Creek, in the county of Berks, near the Quakers Meeting-houſe, and 7 miles from Reading, with a good dwelling-houſe, new barn, 12 or 14 acres of meadow clear'd, and in good order, a good bearing orchard, with other improvements; there may be made a large quantity more of meadow with little expence, the whole being exceedingly well water'd; there is a good quantity of woodland, and a ſaw-mill, upon the place. Likewiſe a ſmall Tract near the above, containing 40 or 50 acres, with a houſe, and other Improvements. Enquire of Samuel Pennock of Philadelphia, or Benjamin Lightfoot Eſq; at Reading.

To be ſold or lett by the abovesaid Samuel Pennock, a new and convenient brick dwelling-houſe, three ſtories high, with a kitchen, the houſe three rooms on a floor, and a garden belonging thereunto, with a ſtable, and other conveniences, in Fourth-ſtreet, on the eaſt-ſide, a little above the Academy. Likewiſe to be ſold cheap for ready money, or ſhort credit, at ſaid place, a good milch cow, and three horſes, ſuitable for ploughing or carting, with a new iron chain, collars, &c. Alſo a new ſleigh to be diſpoſed of.

BENJAMIN GIBBS, SADLER,

HAVING removed from his late dwelling-houſe, in Market-ſtreet, nearly oppoſite the ſign of the Indian King, to another houſe in the ſame ſtreet, almoſt oppoſite to James Benezet's, and next door to Joſeph Baker's, at the north-weſt corner of Front and Market ſtreets, hereby gives notice, that he continues to carry on the Sadler's buſineſs as formerly, where all perſons in town and country may be ſupplied with ſaddles and ſadlary ware, as reaſonable as uſual; thoſe who are pleaſed to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend upon the beſt uſage, and have their work finiſhed in the beſt manner and neweſt faſhions. § Tbc. 2 Mo.

To be ſold by

WILLIAM and DAVID M'ILVAINE,

A Tract of land, containing about 200 acres, ſituated in New-London townſhip, Cheſter county, within two miles of the croſs roads, formerly the property of Robert Allan deceaſed; there is a good part of the land cleared, and the reſt very well timber'd, ſome meadow made, and a good deal more may be made, it is very well water'd; there is a good dwelling-houſe and barn on it, and a very good orchard. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, by paying down one half of the purchaſe money, may have credit for the reſt, allowing intereſt, and giving ſecurity. § 5s. Tbc.

To be ſold for the prime Coſt in England,

A SETT of the *Statutes at Large*, in 33 volumes in folio; containing the publick and private acts down to the 23d of *George* II. incluſive, neatly bound, gilt and letter'd; they are fit for either a private gentleman, or a legiſlative body. Alſo a compleat ſett of the *Univerſal Hiſtory*, in 20 volumes, half bound. Any perſon may ſee them, by applying to *David Hall*, at the *New-Printing-Office*. Tbctf.

TO be ſold by the ſubſcriber, living in Bridge-Town, commonly called Mount-holly, in Burlington county, Weſt-New-Jerſey, the following lots of land, viz. A plantation adjoining to the ſaid town, containing 212 acres of land, on which is a good houſe and orchard, with 50 or 60 acres of clear'd land, about 30 acres of deep meadow, the moſt whereof is ditch'd and dry, near 15 acres clear'd and mowable, alſo 12 acres of dry meadow, very good, moſtly in clover graſs. Another tract of 250 acres of good land, about a mile from the above town, extending to the ſouth branch of Rancocas creek, where the tide flows, adjoining to the Old Bridge, on the country road, it has a large ſtream of water running thro' it, ſufficient for a mill, and is ſuppoſed to have 40 acres of good meadow. For terms, enquire of *Abraham Farrington*. Tbc. 3 Mo.

LAtely imported, and to be ſold for ready money, or ſhort credit, by JOSEPH FOX, in Third-ſtreet, and JOHN COX, at his ſtores, on the South ſide of Market-ſtreet wharff, A large and choice parcel of FyallWines. ⊕

Juſt imported in the Lydia, Capt. Reeve, and to be ſold, by

MYERS and LEVY,

At their ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, between Mr. Joſeph Saunders's and the Queen's Head,

TEN, 12, and 20d nails, long and ſhort handle frying pans, pewter diſhes, plates and baſons, cotton and linen checks, whited jeans, dyed pillows, bed-bunts, tammies, ſtarrets, worſted damaſks, camblettees, calimancoes, flower'd ruſſels, Iriſh ſtuffs, camblets, ſerge denims, burdets, black mantua, black taffeties, ribbons, mohair buttons, ſilk, hair and ſhirt buttons, baladine ſewing ſilks, buckrams, everlaſtings, ſhaloons, pins, ink powder, playing cards, ſpectacles, ſealing wax, carpenters rules, braſs buckles, teſtaments, ſpelling-books and pſalters, garnet necklaces, pewter tea pots, braſs ſcrew-up pen-knives, Philadelphia braſs buttons, vellom pocket books, mens and womens whips, carpenters iron ſquares, wool cards, neſts of trunks, broad-cloths, beaver coatings, drab-frizes, blue and red duffels, ſtriped blankets, kerſeys, plains, druggets, emboſſed flannels, half-thicks, ſtriped linſeys, worſted and hair ſhag, worſted and cotton caps, ſilk caps, mens and womens worſted hoſe, rugs and roſe blankets, mens and womens gloves, ſadlary, deſk furniture, knives and forks, pen-knives, braſs inkpots, ſhoemakers tools, ſleeve buttons, ſhovels and tongs, ſad-irons, tobacco-boxes, ſnuff-boxes, gilt coat buttons, ſciſſars, ivory combs, 7-eights garlix, Quadruple ſileſias, broad and piſtol lawns, demy dowlas, Iriſh linens, table-cloths, cambricks, clear lawns, Scots handkerchiefs, muſlins, clouting diaper, Ruſſia ſheeting, calicoes, linen handkerchiefs, Ruſſia linen, ozenbrigs, bandanoes, ſilk romals, ſooſeys, India damaſks, China taffeties, grograms, black perſians, chintz, blue linen, bobbin, tapes, and ſundry other articles.

To be SOLD,

THE leaſe of a ſaw-mill for upwards of four years to come, with a plantation of ninety acres of clear land, with two dwelling-houſes, ſtable and orchard, all in good repair, commonly known by the name of Aſheton's mill, in Blockley townſhip, three miles and a half from Philadelphia.

Likewiſe 145 acres of woodland, within a mile of the ſaid mill, in lots of ten, fifteen or twenty acres, as it ſuits the purchaſer; the title is indiſputable. For terms of ſale enquire of James Coultas, at the Corporation Ferry, or Charles Jenkins, at the Lower Ferry on Schuylkill. Tbctf.

Juſt imported in the Carolina, Capt. Meſnard, from London, and to be ſold by

Mrs. REDMOND,

In Market-ſtreet,

A Freſh aſſortment of watchmakers tools, and a variety of other goods, too tedious to mention.

N. B. Sundry ſorts of houſhold goods, plate and china, to be ſold by ſaid Mrs. Redmond, alſo two years and ſeven months of an Engliſh ſervant woman's time to be diſpoſed of, for no fault, only the family intending for England in the fall.

Juſt imported from London, in the Nelly, Capt. Gibbon, and to be ſold cheap for ready money, or ſhort credit, by

JOHN BELL,

At his ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet,

A LARGE Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India Goods, ſuitable for the Seaſon.

Juſt imported from London, in the Carolina, Capt. Meſnard, and the Nelly, Capt. Gibbon, and to be ſold by

JOHN WALLACE,

At his ſtore in Cheſtnut-ſtreet, near Front-ſtreet,

A Neat aſſortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon.

ALL perſons inclining to become members of the Philadelphia Contributionſhip, for inſuring houſes from loſs by fire, are hereby acquainted that their office (lately kept by Joſeph Saunders) is now kept by *ROBERT OWEN*, in Mulberry-ſtreet, commonly called Arch-ſtreet.

Juſt imported in the ſhip Carolina, Capt. Meſnard, from London, and to be ſold by

JOHN and JOSEPH SWIFT,

At their ſtore in Water-ſtreet, oppoſite Carpenter's wharff, the following goods, viz.

CHints of ſeveral ſorts, a great variety of calicoes and printed linens, ribbons of ſundry ſorts, bandanoe and culgee handkerchiefs, long lawns, clear lawns, in pieces and patches, cambricks, ozenbrigs, yard, 3-qr. 7-eights and 6 qr. wide checks, Iriſh linens, tandems, yard and 7-eights wide garlix, dowlas, princes linen, hempen and flaxen ruſſia, white and brown ruſſia ſheeting, ruſſia drillings, ravens duck, ruſſia duck, GB wool cards, long and ſhort Pennſylvania ſcythes, an aſſortment of ſadlery, blue and green hair-pluſh, writing paper of ſeveral ſorts, ink-powder, ſealing-wax, mens and womens worſted and cotton hoſe, clouting diaper, huckaback, blue long cloths, colour'd thread, buttons and mohair, cloth colour'd ſewing ſilk, light and crow colour'd ditto, beſt ſuperfine ſilk and hair twiſt, letter'd gartering, ſcarlet ditto, quality bindings, white ſtay-braid and French cord, white and bluſh colour'd perſians, black taffeties, blue, white and cloth colour'd ditto, black India perſians, muſlins of all ſorts, buckram, piſtol lawns, Duke handkerchiefs, cotton romals, ſilk romals, ſtriped cotton linſeys, ſhaloons, durants and tammies, calimancoes, damaſks, nuns thread, tapes and bobbins, of ſundry ſorts, pins and needles, Bath lamb gloves and mitts, ſilk caps, cutlary, white metal coat and veſt buttons, Philadelphia pattern, pocket books, red leather paper caſes, dandriff combs, mens and womens braſs and ſteel thimbles, gun-powder, 3, 8, 10, 12 and 20d London nails, handſome ſconces, with gilt or finnier'd Frames, bohea tea, caſtor hats, fine hyſon tea in canniſters, blue and white ſtriped cotton hollands, dark ſtriped ditto, coffee mills, back-gammon boxes and dice, plate bruſhes, fiſh hooks, kenting handkerchiefs, frying pans, Briſtol ſtone ſleeve buttons ſet in ſilver, white and black lace, &c. &c. &c. Tbctf.

Juſt imported from London, in the Carolina, Capt. Meſnard, and to be ſold by

ARENT HASSERT,

In Lætitia-court,

LEtharge and red lead, ſcales and braſs weights, from one pound to a quarter of an ounce, ground redwood and madder, tin by the box, London loaf-ſugar, fine boulting-cloths, middling and coarſe ditto, pewter, and ſeveral other goods.

N. B. All perſons indebted to ſaid Haſſert, are deſired to make ſpeedy payment, or they may expect to be troubled as the law directs. *

RUN away from the ſubſcribers, living near Baltimore town, in Baltimore county, Maryland, two Engliſh convict Men, viz. John Moll, born in Staffordſhire, and talks much in that dialect, he's a lufty well-made fellow, ſtrait black hair, black beard, black eyes, full faced, and freſh colour, about 30 years of age; Had on when he went away, A coarſe caſtor hat, dark colour'd frock, like unto ſacking, very dirty with tar and greaſe, with flat white metal buttons, much tarniſhed, white country cloth jacket with pewter buttons, light brown cloth jacket, a pair of hair ſhag breeches, pieced on the knees and ſeveral other places with the ſame and yellow metal buttons, and a pair of white country cloth breeches, patched on the knees, black and white country made ſtockings, new ſtrong country made ſhoes, with plain narrow rimmed copper buckles, two ozenbrigs ſhirts, and two white coarſe ſhirts, much worn. The other named William Faulkner, about 24 Years of age, born in Lincolnſhire, ſmooth faced and black beard: Had on when he went away, a light colour'd frize coat, white duffel jacket, with braſs buttons, red pluſh breeches, grey worſted ſtockings, old Engliſh ſhoes, plain copper buckles, and white ſhirt; he's a lufty well-made fellow, and a taylor by trade. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervants, or either of them, and brings them to their maſters, ſhall have a reward of Three Pounds for each, if taken in Maryland, and Four Pounds if in any other province, paid by

WILLIAM LUX, N. RIDGELY.

N. B. 'Tis ſuppoſed a convict ſervant man of Mr. Lloyd Buchanan's, of Baltimore town, is in company, of middle ſize and middle age.

To be ſold by

Capt. JAMES CHILD,

In Water-ſtreet, four Doors above Market-ſtreet,

SUperfine broadcloths, ſaggathies, duroys, ſuperfine rattinets, ſilk and hair death-head buttons, broad double camblets, durants, grazets, rich tabereen ditto, double alopeens, corded poplins, Barcelona handkerchiefs, cloth and light colour'd baladine ſewing ſilks, broad lawns, demi cambricks, demi 7-8ths clear lawns, ſuperfine ditto, flower'd lawn, minionet ditto, yd. wd. tanjebs, coſſaes, humhums, variety of chints and calicoes, printed linens, ruſſia diaper, nillaes, colour'd ginghams, perſian taffeties, ſtriped China ditto, black colour'd ditto, plain and flower'd bandanoes, ſeerſuckers, romals, ſtriped calimancoes, black blue and ſcarlet everlaſtings, colour'd threads, cotton tapes, knit patterns for breeches, flat and round ſilk laces of different lengths, ſilk caps, caſe-knives, ſilver watches, ivory and cow-ſtick fans, fine pot and fools cap papers, neat London made burding guns, neat ſconce and pier looking-glaſſes, in mahogony and walnut frames, gilt and plain, in the neweſt faſhion, beſt flaxen ſprig ozenbrigs, variety of check linen, brown holland, princes linen, Scots thread, good Cheſhire cheeſe, beſt Narva flax, nutmegs, cinnamon, cloves, and mace; Iriſh linens, Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheeting, ſtriped cotton hollands, dy'd fuſtians; anchors, ſalt, Weſt-India rum, bar iron, iron pots, cart-boxes, faſhfixes, regulated and ſmaller weights, crates of yellow ware, and ſundry other goods.

To be SOLD,

A Servant girl's time, who has four years to ſerve, and is fit for town or country buſineſs. Enquire at the German Printing-Office, in Third-ſtreet, next door but one above Mr. Richard Hockley's.

[*See the Half-ſheet for the other Advertiſements.*]

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

BOSTON, April 25.

On the Second Inſtant, his Excellency was pleaſed to make the following SPEECH to the Great and General Court or Aſſembly, then ſitting here, *viz.*

Gentlemen of the Council, and Houſe of Repreſentatives,

THE Occaſion of my ſpeaking to you now, is to acquaint you, that I have received a Letter from the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners for Trade and the Plantations, ſignifying to me, that his Majeſty had been pleaſed to order a Sum of Money to be iſſued for Preſents for the *Six Nations* of *Indians*, and to direct the Governor of *New-York* to hold an Interview with them for delivering thoſe Preſents at ſuch Place and Time as he ſhall appoint; and I am directed to lay this Matter before you, and to recommend to you to make a proper Proviſion for appointing Commiſſioners from this Government to meet Commiſſioners of *Virginia, Maryland, Pennſylvania, New-Jerſeys*, and *New-Hampſhire* (to the reſpective Governors of which Colonies their Lordſhips have wrote to the ſame Effect) as alſo for making ſuch Preſents as hath been uſual upon the like Occaſions.

I have likewiſe to acquaint you, that I find by a Paragraph of their Lordſhips Letter upon this Occaſion to the Governor of *New-York*, which his Honour Lieutenant Governor *De Lancey*, Commander in Chief of that Province, hath communicated to me, that he is therein directed to take Care that all the Provinces be (if practicable) comprized in one General Treaty, to be made in his Majeſty's Name.

And that Mr. *De Lancey* hath given me Notice, that he hath appointed the ſaid Interview to be held at the City of *Albany*, on the Fourteenth of *June* next.

I am perſuaded, *Gentlemen*, I need not uſe Arguments to convince you, that it is of very great Conſequence to the Intereſts of his Majeſty's Colonies upon this Continent at all Times, that as many of the Tribes of *Indians* inhabiting it, as may be (thoſe of the *Six Nations* more eſpecially) ſhould be kept in Friendſhip with the *Engliſh*, and a Dependance upon the Crown of *Great-Britain*; and that as free a Commerce and Intercourſe ſhould be maintain'd with them, as is poſſible: But I think it my Duty at this Time, to enter into a particular Detail of theſe Matters.

"At the Treaty of *Utrecht*, which is confirm'd by that of *Aix-la-Chapelle*, theſe were look'd upon to be Points of that Importance to the *Britiſh* Intereſt in *North-America*, that Care was taken in that Treaty, to have the *Indians* of the *Six Nations* acknowledged by *France*, to be ſubject to the Dominion of *Great-Britain*; and it is therein expreſly ſtipulated, that the *French* ſhall give no Hindrance or Moleſtation either to them, or the other Natives of *America*, who were Friends to the *Engliſh*: It is alſo ſtipulated, that the Subjects of both Crowns ſhould enjoy full Liberty of going or coming [upon this Continent] on account of Trade; and that the Natives of the Countries (upon it) ſhould with the ſame Liberty reſort, as they pleaſe, to the *Britiſh* and *French* Colonies, for promoting Trade on the one Side and the other, without any Moleſtation or Hindrance either on the Part of the *Britiſh* Subjects or of the *French*."

With regard to the *Indians* of the *Six Nations* in particular, I would obſerve to you, that according to an Account given by them in an open Council at *Turpebawkie*, at their Return from the *Indian* Treaty at *Philadelphia* in 1742, of the ſeveral *Indian Nations* which have been conquer'd by them, and are now in their Alliance, and trade with the *Engliſh*, and which ſeems to be depended upon, the Warriors belonging to thoſe Tribes, may be computed to amount to 16 or 17000 at leaſt: And One, who muſt be a good Judge of the Strength of the *Five Nations* themſelves, upon being interrogated by me concerning the Number of their fighting Men, made Anſwer, "that he did not know their Number, but well knew, "that they are a numerous People, a terrible Body of Men, and able to burn all the *Indians* in *Canada*."

You muſt be ſenſible, *Gentlemen*, what frequent Attempts the *French* have made from Time to Time to draw off the *Six Nations* from the *Engliſh* Intereſt into their own; and from the repeated Advices we have received from his Majeſty's Southern Colonies on this Continent, what Efforts they have lately exerted to win over their Allies, together with the other numerous Tribes inhabiting the vaſt Countries lying along the great Lakes and Rivers, and to the Weſtward of the *Apalachean* Mountains (all which may be reckon'd to exceed double the Number of the *Indians* of the *Six Nations*, and thoſe in their Alliance) as alſo what Meaſures the *French* are taking to exclude the *Engliſh* from all Trade and Commerce with thoſe *Indians*.

To compaſs this, they have in manifeſt Violation of the aforeſaid Treaties, enter'd the Country of theſe *Indians* upon the Back of his Majeſty's Southern Colonies, and within the Limits of his Territories, with large Bodies of Troops, ſeiz'd the Effects, and captivated the Perſons of the *Engliſh*, whom they found trading there; abſolutely denied their Right to *Traffick* with thoſe Nations, and erected a Line of Forts upon the Lakes and Rivers from *Canada* to *Miſſiſippi*, to cut off all Commerce and Intercourſe between them: They have committed Hoſtilities againſt ſome of the Tribes in Friendſhip with the *Engliſh*, engag'd others to take up the Hatchet againſt them, and threatened thoſe with Deſtruction, who ſhall interfere with their avow'd Deſign to drive the *Engliſh* out of that Country.

Should the *Indians* of the *Six Nations*, at this critical Conjuncture, deſert our Alliance, and go over to the *French*, how fatal an Influence muſt ſuch an Event have upon the *Britiſh* Intereſt? On the other Hand, ſhould proper Meaſures be taken to attach them firmly to it, how greatly would it diſappoint and check the preſent Scheme and Enterprizes of our dangerous Neighbours?

It is well known how wavering the Diſpoſition of theſe *Indians* hath of late been; and how viſibly they have abated their former Enmity to the *French*; and we can't be at a Loſs to diſcover the real Cauſes of it.

Nothing could at this Time ſo effectually reclaim them to their old Alliance with us, as the Meaſures directed to by their Lordſhips of the Board of Trade; *One general League of Friendſhip comprizing all his Majeſty's Colonies, to be made with them in his Majeſty's Name*; with Stipulations to build ſuch Forts in their Country, as they ſhall chooſe, and may be judg'd neceſſary for their Shelter and Protection againſt the *French*.

Such a Coalition of the Colonies for their Defence would be a convincing Proof to them, that they might ſafely depend upon his Majeſty for Protection, and confirm them in their ancient Alliance with the *Engliſh*; and how neceſſary ſuch a Confederacy of the Colonies for their Safeguard is, may appear to you from the following Account, given by an Indian Trader, who, for more than Twenty Years had carried on a Trade among the different Nations of *Indians* to a conſiderable Amount, and reſided among them, and at a Town of the *Shawanoe* Nation upon the River *Ohio*, about two hundred Miles Weſt of *Philadelphia*, the Truth of which I have great Reaſon to depend upon, *viz.* "That at the Commencement of the late War, he, with ſundry other Traders of the *Engliſh*, was taken Priſoner by ſome *Frenchmen*, belonging to a Fort upon the River *Ohio*, and from thence was tranſported from Fort to Fort to *Quebeck*, by Means of which Forts and the Lakes, the *French*, he ſays, have a Communication open from *Quebeck* to *Miſſiſippi*; that they have Forts there within 20 or 30 Miles Diſtance of each other, with a Command of from 10 to 20 Men in each; in which he ſays, they put the *Squa's* and *Papooſes* of the *Indians* in Alliance with them, for Protection, whilſt the Men go out to War, and there keep 'em until the Men return; and he obſerves, that by Means of theſe Forts, they bid fair in a little Time to reduce the *Indians* in Alliance with the *Engliſh*, as the *Engliſh* do not afford the ſame Protection to their Women and Children, whilſt the Men are gone to War, as the *French* do."

I would therefore earneſtly recommend to you, *Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives*, to make ſuitable Proviſion for ſending Commiſſioners on the Part of this Government, to join in the approaching Interview at *Albany*, duly authorized to concert ſuch Meaſures, in Conjunction with the Government of *New-York*, and Commiſſioners of the before-mentioned Governments, as ſhall be judg'd proper to be enter'd into for cementing a firm League of Friendſhip with the *Indians* of the *Six Nations*, and retaining them in the *Britiſh* Intereſt; and to give thoſe Commiſſioners full Power to agree with the other Governments upon the Quota of Money and Men to be furniſh'd by the Province for this Service.

I have taken the Liberty to propoſe the ſame Thing to be done by the other Governments concerned in this Interview, in my Letters to his Majeſty's Governors, and have Reaſon to hope they will promote ſo ſalutary a Meaſure.

Such an Union of Councils, beſides the happy Effect it will probably have upon the *Indians* of the *Six Nations*, may lay a Foundation for a general One among all his Majeſty's Colonies, for the mutual Support and Defence againſt the preſent dangerous Enterprizes of the *French* on every Side of them.

I have already let you know, *Gentlemen*, his Majeſty's Orders to me and his other Governors upon this Point, ſignified to us in the Earl of *Holderneſſe*'s Letter of the 28th of laſt *Auguſt*; and how neceſſary it is that ſuch an Union ſhould be immediately form'd in the Common Cauſe, whoever takes a Survey of the whole Extent of the Invaſions and Incroachments which the *French* are ſurrounding his Majeſty's Territories upon this Continent with, from their moſt Eaſtern to their moſt Weſtern Limits, muſt ſoon be convinced.

Cloſe on the back of the Settlements of his Majeſty's Southern Colonies they are joining *Canada* to the *Miſſiſippi* by a Line of Forts and Settlements along the great Lakes and Rivers, and cutting off all Commerce and Intercourſe between the *Engliſh* and the numerous powerful Tribes of *Indians* inhabiting that Country, who they are attempting to engage in their Intereſt by all Manner of Hoſtilities and Artifices: And at the ſame Time they are puſhing on their Incroachments with equal Vigour quite round his Majeſty's Eaſtern Colonies, where they have ſecured all the *Indians* in thoſe Parts to join them againſt the *Engliſh*.

Should the *French* prevail in the former Part of their Scheme, and gain a general Influence and Dominion over the *Indians* behind the *Apalachean* Mountains, which they muſt in the ordinary Courſe of human Events do in a ſhort Time, if they are not timely prevented by an Union of his Majeſty's Colonies; they will have in a few Years a moſt formidable Army of thoſe *Indians* at their Command, maintained without any Expence to themſelves; but, on the other Hand, with great Profit ariſing from an immenſe Fur Trade carried on with them: And what fatal Conſequences ſuch an Army of Warriors (a few of which have been found ſufficient to keep a large Frontier in continual Alarm) muſt have upon all his Majeſty's Southern Colonies, by continually harraſſing them, at the Direction of the *French*, and ſupported by them from *Canada* on one Side, and *Miſſiſippi* on the other, and cover'd in their Retreat behind the Mountains by a ſtrong Line of Forts commanding the Navigation of all the Lakes and Rivers, is eaſy to conceive; eſpecially if the *Indians* of the *Six Nations* ſhould deſert our Alliance, and join the *French*, which muſt in ſuch Caſe be a deciſive Blow to the *Britiſh* Intereſt on that Part of the Continent.

At the ſame Time, if they are not prevented by a Coalition of the Colonies from finiſhing the Scheme, which it is moſt manifeſt they are forming againſt the Eaſtern Provinces, and already far advanced in, they muſt ſoon have it in their Power equally to diſtreſs them likewiſe; and all the *Engliſh* Colonies will be involv'd together in one general Flame. It is true, thoſe Colonies are far ſuperior to the *French* in their Numbers and Strength; but if that Strength, *Gentlemen*, is not properly exerted by an Union among themſelves, how little will it avail?

It is not difficult to imagine that ſuch a Body of Troops as the *French* may ſoon collect, together with the Aſſiſtance of all the *Indians* ſcatter'd throughout this Continent on the Back of the *Engliſh* Colonies (as the *French* Settlements likewiſe are) when under the Command of the Governor General of *New-France*, who upon all Emergencies can direct their Force as he pleaſes, may reduce a Number of diſunited Provinces, many of them very remote from each other, tho' much ſuperior to them in Point of the Number of Inhabitants.

For forming this general Union, *Gentlemen*, there is no Time to be loſt: The *French* ſeem to have advanced further towards making themſelves Maſters of this Continent within theſe laſt five or ſix Years, than they have done ever ſince the firſt Beginning of their Settlements upon it: And how determined they are to accompliſh their Scheme as ſoon as poſſible, appears from their breaking thro' the moſt recent ſolemn Treaties and Agreements made between the two Crowns, in order to effect it.

Gentlemen,

His Majeſty hath given the ſtrongeſt Proof of his paternal Care of his Colonies, and conſtant Attention to their Safety, in directing his Governors to promote this Union within their reſpective Governments: And I hope you will not be wanting on your Parts to contribute all in your Power towards effecting it, by improving the Opportunity which the approaching Interview with the *Indians* of the *Six Nations* at *Albany* happily preſents for that Purpoſe: And I doubt not but that you may depend on all reaſonable Support and Protection on the Part of his Majeſty, againſt all preſent and future Enterprizes and Attempts of the *French* againſt you.

Council-Chamber, *April* 2, 1754. *W. SHIRLEY.*

The following Order is an Extract from the Votes of the General Aſſembly of the Province of *New-Jerſey*, in Anſwer to the Speech of his Excellency JONATHAN BELCHER, Eſq; Governor of that Province, deliver'd *April* 25. 1754.

Ordered,

THAT Mr. Lawrence *and Mr.* Hancock, *do wait on his Excellency, and acquaint him, that this Houſe had his SPEECH under Conſideration of a Committee of the whole Houſe, and by the Papers that he was pleaſed to order to be laid before them, it does not appear what Schemes are concerted by the ſeveral Governors of the Colonies for preventing the Incroachments of the* French *upon his Majeſty's Dominions; nor does it appear that the Colonies of* Maryland *or* Pennſylvania, *have yet done any Thing in that Affair; tho' they are ſituated much nearer to the* French *Forts: That this Houſe is of Opinion, with your Excellency, that there ſhould be a ſtrict Union among all his Majeſty's Colonies, on this important Affair: But as this Colony have never been Parties with the* Five Nations *and their Allies, nor Partakers of the Benefits of the* Indian *Trade, and conſequently quite unacquainted with the Intereſt and Trade of thoſe Nations; they therefore hope it will not be taken as a Neglect of the common Cauſe at this Time, to leave the Management of the Treaty to the Colonies that are accuſtomed to carry on thoſe Negociations: They are of Opinion, from Lieutenant Governor* Dinwiddie's *Letters to your Excellency, that nothing appears in them, more than a Deſign to build a Fortification in the Forks of* Ohio, *in order to check the Incroachments of the* French, *and to protect the* Indians *in Alliance with* Great-Britain, *in that Part of the Country. And from the Time theſe Things have been in Agitation, in the Colony of* Virginia, *they are in Hopes they are before this Time happily compleated. However, the Duty and Loyalty of the good People of this Colony ſufficiently appears, by their Conduct on former Expeditions. This Colony, tho' lying under a great Load of Debts, by aſſiſting his Majeſty in the late Wars, againſt* Spain *and* France, *are, however, willing chearfully to contribute to the Aſſiſtance of the other Colonies, in what is neceſſary towards preventing the Incroachments of the* French *on his Majeſty's Dominions; but at preſent are not of Ability to do it, having no Money in the Treaſury, nor any Funds upon which it can be raiſed; which this Houſe hopes the Colony will ſoon be relieved in, by his Majeſty's giving Leave to your Excellency, to paſs a Bill for emitting a Sum of Money on Loan, whereby they may be enabled, not only to diſcharge the old Debts, but to have a conſtant Fund to aſſiſt his Majeſty upon Caſes of the like Emergency: And that this Houſe return his Excellency Thanks, for his Care in calling them together on this emergent Affair; and ſhould have been well pleaſed, had his Excellency's Health permitted him, to have met at* Perth-Amboy. *As it is impracticable at this Time to do any Thing in Aſſiſtance of the neighbouring Colonies, they beg your Excellency would be pleaſed to diſmiſs them till your Health will permit you to meet them at* Amboy, *where they will take the other Matters of your Excellency's Speech into their Conſideration.*

By Order of the General Aſſembly,

ABRAHAM CLARK, *jun.* Clerk.

Gentlemen of the General Aſſembly,

IN Anſwer to your Meſſage of the 27th Day of this Inſtant, by Mr. Lawrence *and* Hancock, *I muſt obſerve, that the Method you have taken, of anſwering my Speech by a Meſſage, is unuſual if not without Precedent, and is treating his Majeſty's Repreſentative with leſs Reſpect than was due to the Commiſſion he has the Honour to bear, or to his own kind and benevolent Intentions, for the promoting the Welfare of the good People of this Province, whom you repreſent. Nor can I think you ſhould have looked into the Conduct of ſuch of his Majeſty's Colonies who have leaſt exerted themſelves, in order to put a Step to the Encroachments of the* French, *for an Example to follow in this critical and dangerous Time.*

There is no Room to doubt, but that Pennſylvania *and* Maryland *have appointed Commiſſioners to repreſent them at the Treaty to be held at* Albany, *in* June *next; and 'tis probable their Commiſſioners may be inſtructed to concert Meaſures for their mutual Defence, in Conjunction with the Commiſſioners of the other Colonies, who ſhall be preſent there.*

As the Houſe of Aſſembly declare it to be their Opinion, "That "there ſhould be a ſtrict Union among all his Majeſty's Colonies on this "important Affair;" I cannot think their having hitherto eſcaped the Expence of treating, or their not being Partakers in the Trade with the Indians, *can be a ſufficient Excuſe for their declining to be Parties to an Interview ſo ſtrongly recommended by the Right Honourable the Lords of Trade.*

As the Alliance and Friendſhip of the Six Nations, *and their Dependance on the Crown of* Great-Britain, *muſt, by every thinking Man, be looked upon as the greateſt Security the Settlers on the Northern Boundary of this Province can have, to prevent the Incurſions of thoſe Nations of* Indians, *who, unprovoked, have taken up the Hatchet againſt us, together with the horrid Murders and Confuſions conſequent thereupon.*

If nothing more ſhould be intended by the Government of Virginia, *than building a Fortification in the* Forks *of* Ohio *(as by your Meſſage you ſuggeſt) the very Reaſon you aſſign for doing it, is a very cogent and powerful One, viz. To check the Incroachments of the* French, *and to protect the* Indians *in Alliance with* Great-Britain; *and ſuppoſing it ſhould be by this Time compleated (which is not to be expected) yet the whole Expence would be uſeleſs, unleſs it ſhould have a Garriſon ſufficient to anſwer the good Purpoſes of its Erection; the Charge of which ought to be defrayed by all the Colonies on the Continent, in Proportion to the Advantage they receive from the Friendſhip and Protection of the* Six Nations.

I would not derogate, in the leaſt, from the Loyalty the good People of this Province have ſhewn, by the Aid they have afforded his Majeſty in former Expeditions; and it will doubtleſs have its due Weight when the Petition to his Majeſty, for Leave to emit a Sum of Money on Loan

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ſhall be under the Conſideration of his Miniſters: But I am ſorry ſo frequently to hear the Want of that Bill given as an Excuſe againſt raiſing ſuch Sums of Money as the Government and Honour of the Province neceſſarily require, when it is well known that the private Circumſtances of the landed Men, and other Inhabitants in it, taken in general, equal thoſe of any other Governments; and I am afraid your entirely declining aſſiſting in the Common Cauſe at this perilous Conjuncture, may be an Obſtacle to your obtaining his Majeſty's Favour in that Particular.

It gives me a ſenſible Satisfaction to find you expreſs your Gratitude on my calling you together at this Time, in Obedience to the royal Orders; and am ſorry you eſteem it impracticable to yield any Aſſiſtance to the other Colonies at this Time.

There are very few Colonies under his Majeſty's immediate Government, who have any other Method of ſupplying Money for neceſſary and immergent Services, but by Tax; and the Method of raiſing it here, is chiefly your Province.

I underſtood at the laſt Seſſions at Burlington, *from many of the Members of your Houſe, that the Middle of* May, *was a Seaſon at which you could as well ſpare a few Weeks from your private Affairs, as at any Time of the Year; and I ſhould not have called you ſooner; but in Obedience to the Commands I had received, and which I have communicated to you. That Seaſon of the Year is a Time of Plenty, the Weather agreeable to moſt Conſtitutions, and the Days long. The laſt happy Seſſion, is an evident Proof that more Buſineſs may be done in a few Weeks at that Seaſon, than has commonly been diſpatched in as many Months of a Winter Seſſion, whereby your Conſtituents are eaſed of a great Expence.*

As to your Deſire of being diſmiſſed, till my Health will permit my attending at Amboy, *I am very willing to gratify you; but I can give you but little Expectation of my attending there, for a long Time to come, unleſs it ſhould pleaſe the Infinite Diſpoſer of all Things, to ſtrengthen me beyond my utmoſt Expectations.*

The Diſpatch I have always given to the Buſineſs before me, the Eaſe which the Province have enjoyed under my Adminiſtration, and the great Weakneſs of my Body, of which you are Eye-Witneſſes, gave me Reaſon to think the Houſe could not have been ſo void of Humanity and Tenderneſs to me, as to complain of my calling them here on this Occaſion; as I always have paid a punctual Obedience to the general Inſtruction, when my Health permitted me ſo to do. I doubt whether any impartial or diſpaſſionate Inhabitant of this Province, would adviſe their Repreſentatives to make my not coming to Amboy, *when prevented by the Act of God, a Pretence for deferring the neceſſary Buſineſs of the Government, and the Receſs which you ſhall have, till the firſt Day of* June *next, then to meet at* Amboy, *without further Notice, will give you an Opportunity, and I hope you will conſult with them on the Matters recommended in my Speech, and then by your Conduct at your next Meeting, I ſhall be able to judge whether the good People of this Province have that Regard to a Governor, who has exerted his publick and private Intereſt, for the Good of them and their Poſterity, that ſuch a Conduct deſerves.*

By Capt. Miller, arriv'd at New-York from London in 7 Weeks Paſſage, we have the following Advices, viz.

Paris, March 4. The Anſwer which the Dey of Algiers gave, in relation to the Satisfaction which this Court demanded for the Inſults offer'd to the French Flag, not being ſatisfactory, our Conſul, and all the French which are ſettled at Algiers, will ſoon retire from thence; and, till ſuch Time as proper Meaſures can be taken to give the Algerines a deciſive Blow, ſeveral Frigates are order'd to cruize upon their Coaſt, and ſink all their Ships that fall in their Way. The Points of Satisfaction demanded of the Dey were, that he ſhould repair the Damage done to the Ship of Capt. Prepaud, releaſe the Crew, and, after the Example of the Regency of Tripoli, ſend an Ambaſſador to the King, to aſk his Majeſty's Pardon. The Dey rejected theſe Conditions with Scorn; not ſo much, however, from his own Reſolution, as for Fear of incurring the Reſentment of the Militia, which make no Ceremony of ſtrangling their Deys, whenever they are diſſatisfied with their Conduct.

In the Night, between the ſecond and third of this Month, three Bookſellers were arreſted, and carried to the Baſtile, for having printed, or, at leaſt, publickly ſold, the ----- Remonſtrances of the Parliament of Aix.

London, March 14. It is ſaid the new Miniſtry in Sweden are entirely pacifick, are bent on improving their Country, and extending their Commerce; in both which they have been within theſe few Years amazingly ſucceſsful, and if they perſiſt without Interruption, their Affairs in twenty Years will be in as good a Poſture as thoſe of any other Nation in Europe.

March 15. They write from Frankfort, that ſome French Officers have lately bought up in that Neighbourhood 5000 Horſes, which have been ſince ſent towards the Borders of France.

The Poſts of Secretary at War, and Treaſurer of the Navy, are not yet filled up.

Fourteen Men of War of the Line are put into Commiſſion, 12 of which are of 60 Guns and upwards, and two of 50 Guns.

March 16. The laſt Advices from Stockholm bring a Confirmation, that a Negotiation for a Treaty of Commerce is on the Tapis between the Courts of Sweden and Spain, whereby the Subjects of the former are to be extremely favoured in the Spaniſh Ports. They add, that as ſoon as this Treaty is concluded, the Swediſh Miniſter will make Overtures for another with the Court of Naples.

Laſt Tueſday Night, a Cabinet Council was held at St. James's, when his Majeſty was pleaſed to appoint his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle to be firſt Commiſſioner of the Treaſury, in the Room of his Brother the Right Hon. Henry Pelham, deceaſed.

The Right Hon. Henry Fox, Eſq; (Secretary at War) to be Secretary of State, in Room of the Duke of Newcaſtle.

The Right Hon. Henry Legge, Eſq; (Treaſurer of the Navy) to be Chancellor and Under-treaſurer of his Majeſty's Exchequer, in the Room of Mr. Pelham.

The Hon. Col. York, to be Secretary of War, in the Room of Mr. Fox.

It is ſaid, that the Earl of Sandwich will ſoon be made Maſter of the Ordnance.

The Report ſtill prevails, that both Houſes of Parliament will riſe ſoon.

They write from Goſport, that all the Guard-ſhips are ordered to take in their lower Deck Guns, Stores, &c. in order to be ready at a ſhort Warning.

The Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor will ſoon be created Earl of Clarendon.

A Patent is preparing to create the Right Hon. the Lord Barnard Earl of Darlington.

By the Friendſhip, Capt. Chalmer, arrived at Plymouth, from the Streights, we have Advice of the Loſs of the following Ships.

The Hope, Tivito, of Weymouth, the Crew ſaved; and the Guernſey Packet, Major, of Guernſey, all the Men drown'd except the Captain, who is made a Slave; both loſt near Tetuan.

The Thomas and James, Mulfrie, of St. Ives, from Leghorn, for Malaga, loſt near Tangier, all the Crew drowned except the Maſter. And,

An Engliſh Veſſel, Name unknown, loſt off Gibraltar, all the Crew periſhed.

The Right Hon. Henry Fox, Eſq; has already reſigned his Place of one of the Chief Secretaries of State.

Our Merchants have Letters from Liſbon, which intimate that a Perſon of Diſtinction was arrived there from England, with full Power to tranſact Negotiations for putting an End to all Differences between the Britiſh Merchants and the Court of Portugal, and it is reported, that his Portugueſe Majeſty is to allow the Payment of Gold in Specie, for Corn only, in the Way of Exchange.

Charles-Town, in South Carolina, April 9.

On Saturday Afternoon ſailed for Virginia, his Majeſty's Snow Jamaica, commanded by Capt. Henry Richard Dubois, having on board one of his Majeſty's Independant Companies from this Province (conſiſting of 110 effective Men, beſides Officers) which is to be landed at Hampton, whence the Jamaica is to proceed immediately to her Station at Providence.

By Capt. Tucker, from St. Auguſtine, we are informed, that on the 24th ult. two likely young Slaves, got to that Place from Georgia, who were immediatly made good Chriſtians, and proclaimed free; by which it appears, that the Spaniards continue the unjuſtifiable Practice of encouraging our Slaves to deſert to them. From Georgia we are farther informed, they employ ſome of the Creek and Cherokee Indians to ſeduce them away.

April 16. 'Tis reported, that an Expreſs is come to our Governor, with an Account, that ſome French Officers, &c. are arrived in ſome of our Indian Nations, with Preſents and Colours for them; and deſiring Leave to erect a few Forts.

WILLIAMSBURG, April 19.

On Tueſday and Wedneſday laſt the following Criminals were brought to their Trials, viz.

Chriſtopher Bettie, from Cheſterfield, for Felony. Convicted.

Iſhmael Drew, Thomas Bryan, and Thomas Pendley, from Richmond, for Murder. Pendley diſcharged, and the others convicted of Manſlaughter.

Mary Murray, from Henrico, for Felony. Convicted.

Jeſſe Scott, and Randle Gibſon, from Charles City, for Felony. Gibſon convicted, and Scott diſcharged.

Ned, alias Edward Picket, from Surry, for Felony. Convicted.

Edward Dowdle, from York, for Felony. Convicted.

Edward Davis, from York, for Felony. Convicted.

ANNAPOLIS, April 25.

We hear from Saint Mary's County, that at the Aſſizes in that County, laſt Week, the Mulattoe Fellow who was taken up for a Rape and Murder, committed on a Girl about 12 Years of Age, lately mentioned, was tried and found guilty; but what Death he is to ſuffer we have not yet heard.

BOSTON, May 6.

By Capt. Jacobſon, from London, we have Advice, That his Majeſty's Ship Mermaid, Capt. Waſhington Shirley, Commander, is appointed for this Station.

NEW-YORK, May 13.

The making an Eſtabliſhment on the River Ohio, is no new or partial Scheme of the French, meerly for the Sake of Trade, or a Settlement on the Lands, but a Thing long ago concerted, and but Part of a grand Plan for rendering themſelves Maſters of North America. That this Plan has been concerted, laid before the Court of France, and met with its higheſt Approbation in the Year 1689, *and has engaged the conſtant Attention of that Court ever ſince, is openly avow'd in their printed Works. 'Tis felt too in their Actions, and diſguis'd no where but in their moſt ſolemn Treaties, and the ſacred Engagements of their Faith. The whole Plan may be ſeen in the* 12th *Book of Father Charlevoix's Hiſt. of New-France. The firſt Step to be taken, is* (Garder les principaux Poſtes du Pays) *to fortify and garriſon all the principal Paſſes of the Country. This Part of the Plan they have effected in this Year* 1754. *The Part of this Scheme which they are now executing, was firſt laid down in the Year* 1721, *Nov.* 8. *'There is not, ſays Father Charlevoix, in all Louiſania, a Spot more proper for a Settlement than this on the Obio, nor where it is of greater Importance to the French to have one. The whole Country that is waſhed by the Rivers Ouabach and Obio, is moſt fertile; there are vaſt Paſtures finely water'd, where the wild Cattle graze by Thouſands; beſides, the Communication with Canada is, this Way, much eaſier, better, and infinitely ſhorter, than thro' the River Ilanois: A Fort with a good Garriſon here, would be a compleat and ſufficient Curb on the Indians in general; but above all, on the Cherokees, at preſent the moſt numerous Nation on the Continent.' The next Step is to become Maſters of Albany, the River Hudſon, and New-York. There is no other Way (ſays the Chevalier de Callieres, in the Memorial and Plan which he preſented to the Court of France) for the Preſervation of Canada, but to render the King Maſter of New-York: 'The abſolute Neceſſity of doing this, renders it lawful and juſtifiable.' And it was propoſed at the Court of France, 'as the only Meaſure to compleat and ſecure the Conqueſt of Canada, to conquer and ſecure the Conqueſt of the Indians, and make them ſue for Peace on any Conditions the French ſhall pleaſe to impoſe on them.' The three ſeveral Plans that are propoſed for this Enterprize: The Means and Manner in which they are to be executed: The Eaſe and ſmall Expence with which the French are ſenſible they can effect them: And the deplorable State which the Country, and the ruin'd Conditions which the poor Inhabitants are to be reduced to upon the Conqueſt, may be all read in fair black and white; together with the Meaſures which the French are to purſue in the mean While, till all be ripe for the Execution. When they can cajole the Engliſh, or have Reaſon to know that they will ſit ſtill, then to attack the Five Nations: When they can perſuade the Indians to keep their Arms under their Blankets, then to attack the Engliſh.---à Sous Pretexte d'aller faire la guerre aux Iroquois, et lorſque je ſerai arrivé dans leur pays, je leur déclarerai que je veux bien vivre avec eux, et que je n'en veux qu'aux Anglois.-----Surtout de garder un Grand Secret & de coûvrir,------Sous les prétextes, qu il jugeroit les plus convenable et les plus plauſibles. And this While to uſe any Diſguiſe or Pretexts, that will be received as probable or plauſible.*

In Capt. Merſier, who arrived here ſince our laſt, in nine Weeks from the Coaſt of Africa, are come two Seamen formerly belonging to the Sloop Thomas, John Whiteſides, Maſter, of and from Liverpool: They inform us, That they ſailed in the aforeſaid Sloop the 2d of March laſt, from Fort St. James, in Gambia River; that the next Morning as they lay at Anchor near the Mouth of the River, the Slaves, 87 in Number, having privately got off their Irons, ſuddenly mounted the Deck, and knock'd the Chief Mate overboard, as he went forward to meſs them: That the Seamen being alarmed thereupon, repaired to their Small Arms, and fired among the Negroes, which obliged them to return below; but a greater Number of them ſoon after re-mounting the Deck, having then obſerved the Seamens Fire-Arms to be bad and miſs Fire, doubled their Diligence, with Billets of Wood, and Pieces of Boards, againſt the White Men, who were but eight in all: That from the Captain's Negligence in not keeping loaded the Swivels that were placed through the Barricado, and their not being able to come to their better Small-Arms, deſign'd to trade with, by Means of the cloſe Attack of the Negroes, they were all obliged to take to their Long-boat, and leave the Sloop in Poſſeſſion of the Slaves. That thereupon Captain James, in the St. Paul, of London, and Capt. Merſier, who lay about four Miles Diſtance, both weigh'd and endeavoured to recover the Sloop, but in vain, altho' Capt. James held an Hour's Engagement with her very hot; the Slaves making uſe of the Swivel Guns, and trading Small-Arms, ſeemingly in an experienced Manner againſt them, and Night coming on, obliged the two Captains to re-anchor, to take Care of their own Slaves: Whiteſides and his Crew, by that Time reaching Capt. Merſier, after taking up his Mate, who the Slaves knock'd overboard. A Carolina Sloop bound in, being well provided with Ammunition, by the Entreaty of Whiteſides, went in Purſuit of his Sloop; but our Informers knew nothing more of her afterwards, as Capts. Merſier and James came off the next Morning, being the 4th of March, the latter bound to South-Carolina with 140 *Slaves on board: They kept Company with each other five Weeks, and parted* 15 *Leagues to Windward of Antigua, all well.*

Laſt Week two of the Independant Companies poſted here, were embarked on board his Majeſty's Ship the Centaur, in order to be tranſported to Virginia. The Ship is ſince fallen down to the Watering Place, and waits only for a fair Wind to proceed. And,

On Thurſday laſt arrived at Sandy-Hook, the Swan Snow Man of War, Capt. Langdon, Commander (formerly Lieutenant of the Taviſtock) who has brought hither the Honourable Dudley Diggs, Eſquire, appointed Commander of the Centaur.

Capt. Auguſtine Lawrence arrived here laſt Week from Surinam, and left the following Veſſels at that Port, viz. Captains Miller, Low and Solley of Philadelphia; Wallon, Rhodes, and Benjamin and Joſeph Wanton of Rhode-Iſland; Manchaſter, Hopkins, Remington, Sheldon and Green of Providence, New-England; Beſt of Boſton; and Vardil and Tanner of this Port.

Capt. Miller informs us, That Capt. Sheldon of Rhode-Iſland ſailed from London 10 Days before him; and that Capt. Rodman alſo of Rhode Iſland, Capts. Mitchel and Shirley of Philadelphia, and the Capts. Griffiths and Livingſton of this Port, were all to ſail ſhortly after him.

Cuſtom-Houſe, New-York, Inward Entries.

Sloop Weymouth, J. Concklin from Boſton. Sloop Benjamin, W. Dickinſon, and Sloop Elizabeth and Mary, J. Young from S. Carolina. Sloop Sarah and Ann, N. Sloo from St. Martins. Sloop Greyhound, Peter Breedſted from St. Thomas. Sloop Joſeph, Joſeph Fortin from Santa Croix. Brig Shrewſbury, A. Lawrence from Surinam. Sloop Mary and Catherine, J. Jones from the Bay. Billander York, W. Merſyer from London and Africa. Brig Maria, T. Miller from London.

Outwards. Sloop Mary, D. Fenton for S. Carolina. Brig Charming Polly, J. Stevenſon for Antigua. Sloop Charming Peggy, R. Thomas for Jamaica. Ship Joſeph, W. Bryant for London.

Cleared. Sloop Mary, W. Battey to R. Iſland and Boſton. Sloop Ranger, J. Cox to Boſton. Sloop Fanny, Patrick Nealſon to Newfoundland. Sloop Proſperity, R. Butler to Nova-Scotia. Sloop Charles-Town, J. Schermerhorn to S. Carolina. Sloop Katey, J. Nicholl to Antigua. Sloop Herring, A. Cozzens. Sloop Oli-
Koffler, Sloop Abigail, W. Waynman, and Brig Katorn London, to Jamaica.

PHILADELPHIA, May [illegible]T,

On the ſixth Inſtant, at an annual Meeting of the ſtaff, the following Managers of the Pennſylvania Hoſpital, Joſhua Croſby, Benjamin Fr
Roberts, Iſrael Pemberton, John Reynell, Evan Mo.gad, Joſeph Fox, Samuel Rhoads, Iſaac Jones, John Smith, Joſeph Morris, and William Grant, were choſen Managers, and Charles Norris, Treaſurer, for the enſuing Year. And the ſaid Managers have ſince met, and concluded to proceed in the Affairs of the Hoſpital by the ſame Rules which have been hitherto obſerved, unleſs the Contributors ſhould incline to propoſe any new Regulations: And in caſe it ſhall appear that twenty of the ſaid Coutributors, or more, are deſirous of having a general Meeting called for that Purpoſe, the Managers will immediately notify the ſame by publick Advertiſements, according to the Law and Uſage of the ſaid Corporation.

Capt. Fowle, from Bermuda, informs us, that Capt. Seymour, from Jamaica, had arrived there before he ſailed, and brought Advice, that a French Ship, homeward bound from Cape-Francois, laden with Sugar and Indigo, was caſt away on the Caicos Bank: That two Nortbward-Men, alſo bound home from the Cape, had been with her, who threw overboard their Melaſſes, and filled their Veſſels with Sugar and Indigo out of the Frenchman: And that a Sloop came after they were gone, and took what they had not Room for.

By a Veſſel from St. Kitts we learn, that Capt. Carroll, from this Place, was arrived there; and that the Captains Badger and Aſhton, likewiſe from hence, were got to St. Euſtatia.

From Antigua we have Advice, that Capt. Vaughan, from this Port, was arrived there, after having been carried into Martinico, where he was kept Thirty-four Days.

The Brigantine Ann and Mary, Capt. Harriſon, from Briſtol, is arrived here, after a tedious Paſſage of fourteen Weeks. Off of Cape Hatteras he ſpoke with the Jamaica Man of War, Capt. Dubois, bound to Virginia from Carolina, who ſpar'd him ſome Bread and Water. And a few Days before he made our Capes, alſo ſpoke with a Snow from New-York, bound to New-Caſtle upon Tyne.

Capt. Oſborne, from Dublin, adviſes, that a Brigantine for this Port, and another for Wilmington, were to ſail ſoon after him; That the Captains Eaton, Troy, Hamilton and Simpſon, were up for this Place: And that the Alexander, Captain M'Fun, bound to Dublin from this City, had touch'd at Cork.

Laſt Night Capt. Griffith, from Briſtol, Capt. Alexander Magee, from Liverpool, and Capt. Liſle, from Barbados, arriv'd here.

We hear that the Carolina, Capt. Meſnard, will certainly ſail for London the firſt of next Month.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, INWARD ENTRIES.

Ship Suſannah, Moſes Rankin from Liverpool.
Sloop Aurora, William Higgs from Tortola.
Schooner Walter, John Farr from North Potomack.
----Beaufort, Hugh Ferguſon from Antigua.
Sloop Two Brothers, Paul Bunker from Nantucket.
Ship Free Maſon, Burton Daxon from Antigua.
Sloop May-Flower, John Gaſs from Virgin Iſlands.
-----Squirrell, John Hamilton from Boſton.
Ship William and Mary, William Oſborn from Dublin.
Brig Ann and Mary, John Harriſon from Briſtol.
Schooner Dolphin, William Morton from Boſton.
Sloop Free-Maſon, George Briggs from Ditto.
Brig Rebecca, Charles Giles from Do.

Outwards. Brig Molly, Hugh Stewart for Jamaica.
Sloop William, Thomas Hunt for Barbados.
Brig Rebecca, Daniel England for Do.
Schooner Molly and Hannah, James Campbell for Boſton.
Sloop Betſey, Robert Lockridge for Providence.
Schooner Swallow, David Stewart for W. Indies.
Sloop Patience, Newell Harris for N. Carolina.
Brig Friendſhip, Thomas Fowle for Jamaica.
Snow George, Joſeph Arthur for Barbados.
Brig Minerva, Enoch Hobart for Jamaica.

Cleared. Schooner Abigail, Theophilus Cotton to N. England.
----Chance, Francis Benſon to Salem.
Snow William and Mary, Richard Southcott to Newfoundland.
Sloop Abbey, William Dill to St. Kitts.
Ship Tryall, William Cuzzins to London.
Sloop Harriott, William Borland for S. Carolina.
Schooner Jane, Thomas Leech to Jamaica.
Brig Penelope, William Greenway to Cork.
Schooner Molly and Hannah, James Campbell to Boſton.
Sloop Speedwell, Fortunatus Sheerman to R. Iſland.
Ship Sally, Joſeph Riddle to Jamaica.
Snow Friendſhip, Robert Biſhop to Do.

Lately imported, and to be ſold by

DANIEL WILLIAMS, Baker,

Living near the corner of Second and Walnut ſtreets (who has been long experienced in grinding and boulting)

SUPERFINE, fine, middling and coarſe boulting cloths cheap for ready money, or ſhort credit.

N. B. Millers, or others, who are not well acquainted with boulting, may depend on being ſupplied with cloths (and inſtructions if requir'd) ſuitable for every part of the boulting buſineſs.

TO be ſold by publick vendue, on Wedneſday, the 22d inſt. at the houſe of John Biddle, in Market-ſtreet, A houſe and lot of ground, wherein Richard Murray, deceaſed, lately dwelt, ſituate near the northern bounds of this city, containing in breadth on Vine-ſtreet 18 feet, and in depth 146 feet, bounded ſouthward with Vine-ſtreet aforeſaid, weſtward with ground of George Ryan, eaſtward with Jonathan Zane's ground, and northward with a certain 25 feet ſtreet, being a new ſtreet, extending from Second to Fourth-ſtreet. For terms of ſale, apply to WILLIAM CHANCELOR, in Market-ſtreet.

VERY good *Engliſh Cheeſe*, and *Britiſh Herrings*, to be ſold by JOSEPH SAUNDERS, near the *Queen's Head*, in *Water-ſtreet*.

Best possible image.

Just imported in the ships Myrtilla and Carolina, from London, and to be sold cheap for ready money, or short credit, by

SAMUEL SANSOM,

In Front-street, a little above Market-street,

MUslins of divers sorts, cambricks, long and clear lawns, yard wide and 7 eights Irish linens, tandem gulix and Scots hollands, variety of camblets, shaloons and grazets, corded poplins, light and cloth colour'd pounds of silk, cotton romals, black and cloth colour'd taffeties, calicoes, 4 and 6d. firrets, fine shoe and other worsted bindings, scarlet garterings, and nests of gilt trunks.

Also in other Ships,

Ozenbrigs, brown roles, 3 qr. and yard wide cotton and linen checks, cotton hollands and patterns for gowns, ell wide brown and white Hessens, flaxen, hempen, Russia linens, and huggaback, mens gloves, womens ditto and mittens, fine printed linens, pistol lawns, silk and linen handkerchiefs, worsted and cotton caps, cotton and firret laces, horse and chaise whips of sundry sorts, brass kettles, wool cards, pipes, box irons, ivory combs, pins, needles, buckles, buttons, scissars, razors, case knives and forks pistol capt, and penknives, with other hard ware, brushes of several sorts, bohea tea, pepper, &c. &c. &c. ⊕

JUST imported in the Pearl, Thomas Griffith master, from Bristol, Several likely Welch and West Country servants; among them several tradesmen, as smiths, house-carpenters, shipwrights, weavers, the rest used to country business; whose times are to be disposed of by CHARLES WILLING and SON, at their store in Front-street; where is to be sold, A neat assortment of goods, just imported from London and Bristol; also choice old Madeira wine, cordage of all sorts, anchors, sail-cloth, and all sorts of ships stores, best English beer, and Gloucester cheese.

IMPORTED in the ship Beulah, from London, several likely English men servants, whose times are to be disposed of by Captain John Richey, at his house in Water-street, near Arch-street. ♂

To be *SOLD*,

A PARCEL of likely Negroe men, women and boys, fit for town or country business. Enquire at Captain Morrell's, on Society-hill, ♀

Just imported, in the last ships from England, and to be sold cheap, for ready money, or short credit, by

ANTHONY STOCKER,

At his store, on William Fishbourne's Wharff, opposite to Joshua Fisher's,

A CHOICE variety of European and East-India goods, suitable for the season.

N. B. Also to be sold by said Stocker Barbados rum, muscovado sugar, cotton, and scraped ginger. Tbctf.

TO be sold, by publick vendue, on Saturday next, at Ten a clock in the forenoon, at John Biddle's, at the sign of the Indian King, in Market-street, Two likely young Negroe women, Bermuda born; one of which has had the small-pox, and are both fit for town or country business. ♂

Just imported from London, (chiefly) in the ship Myrtilla, Captain Marsden, and to be sold exceeding cheap, for present money, or short credit, by.

THOMAS PRESTON,

At his store in Second-street, next door to Joshua Maddox, Esq; and nearly opposite the Friends Meeting-house,

A NEAT assortment of goods, consisting of printed linens, calicoes, chints, bed patterns, all sorts of muslins, cambricks, and clear lawns, in pieces and patches, long lawns; all sorts of Irish linens, ditto sheeting, clouting diaper, silesias, Princes and Prussia linens, tablecloths and napkening diaper, Russia linen, ditto huckaback, all sorts of Manchester cotton and linen checks, cotton hollands, bed-ticks, marking canvas, ozenbrigs of sundry kinds, brown and white Hessen and brown roles, China taffeties, Persians, cucapes, mantua's and lutestrings, silk and linen handkerchiefs, best baladine sewing silk, silk caps and knee garters, silk, cotton and thread laces, figur'd and plain ribbons, firreting, &c. Superfine, middling and coarse broadcloths, saxon green ditto, forrest cloths, frizes, shaloons, tammies, durants, camblets, camblettees, calimancoes, everlastings, worsted damasks, russels, corded poplins, saggathies, worsted patterns for breeches, stay ticks and stay trimmings, silk bed lace, black velvet, black and green hair shag, capuchins and short cloaks, men and womens worsted, cotton and thread stockings, brown and white buckrams, haircloths, mohair and scarff twist and buttons, womens gloves and mittens, variety of fine and fine Flanders lace, gauze lace and black parisnet, dy'd pillows and thicksets, childrens shoes, all sorts of threads, bobbins, tapes, gartering, quality binding, and other haberdashery. Ivory and horn combs, fountain pens, brass and horn inkpots, inkpowders, metal buttons, buckles, snuff-boxes, buck handle and bone table knives, horse whips, Weston's snuff, fine post and common writing paper, playing cards, flat irons, pins and needles, boxes of tin plates, all sorts of wire, London steel, files, scale beams, nails, red leather trunks, hard metal teapots and cream jugs, pewter measures, spectacles, looking glasses, indigo, loaf sugar, coffee, cinamon, cloves, mace, saffron, pepper and nutmegs, saltpetre, Epsom salts, glauber ditto, nut galls and copperas, flour of brimstone, antimony, allom, tartar, sagoe, isinglass, jesuits bark, and sundry other drugs, and chymical medicines, to be sold exceeding cheap.

Tbctf.

To be SOLD, by

THOMAS CLIFFORD,

In Water-street, between Market and Arch-street, three doors below the Jersey Ferry-House,

OZenbrigs, 10 and 11 nail, 3 qr. 7 eights, yard wide, and yard and 3 eights cotton and linen check'd, strip'd and colour'd fustians, strip'd hollands, bed-ticks, yard wide tandems, 7 eights garlix, black breeches patterns, cotton velvet shapes for waistcoats, brown buckram, buttons of several sorts, twist, womens shoes, powder and shot, brimstone, West-India and New-England rum, old Jamaica spirit, muscovado sugar, double and single refin'd loaf ditto, bohea tea, very good common green ditto, coffee, pepper and alspice, an assortment of nails, pewter, &c. castor and felt hats, sad irons, bar and pig iron, anchors of several sizes, the bottoms and sides of two coppers, one large, the other smaller, fit for refining sugar, brass kettles and iron pots of many sizes, flour, middling and ship bisket, Burlington pork and gammons, a parcel of choice fall mackrel, and sundry other goods. ⊙

RUN away, the seventh of last Month, from Jacob Ford, of Morris county, East New-Jersey, an Irish servant man, nam'd Philip Ceave; he is about 19 or 20 years of age, and 5 feet 6 inches high, thick set, square shoulder'd, a down look, and has much of the brogue on his tongue. Had on when he went away, a brown broadcloth vest, a strip'd holland one, and a small lust under waistcoat, linen shirt, tow trowsers, new shoes, brass buckles, and felt hat; but 'tis likely he has or will change his Apparel, as he did when he ran away from his former master Hugh M'Clelan, of Chester county. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so that his master may have him again, shall have Three Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, paid by JACOB FORD.

JOHN ERNST JUNKEN,

Living in the house where the German Printing-Office is kept,

GIves notice to the publick, That he keeps a man who cuts in wood, fit for printers and bakers. Any gentlemen that will oblige him with their work, shall be served in the best manner, and at the lowest rate.

N. B. Said Man will teach to cut in wood, and drawing, in the best manner, at the place aforesaid. ¶

Just imported, in the last vessels from London and Liverpool, and to be sold cheap for ready money, or short credit, by

USHER and WHARTON,

At their store on Walnut-street Wharff, and opposite Mr. Reese Meredith's,

SEven eights and yard wide Irish linen, sheeting ditto, 3 qr. 7 eights, and yard wide linen and cotton Manchester checks, cotton hollands, erminets, Turkey plads, superfine boil'd camblets, common and strip'd ditto, calimancoes, tammies, prunels, durants, yard wide silk diana's, flower'd tissues, superfine scarlet, blue, pink and black damasks, figur'd barragons, figur'd stuffs, Nova-Scotia's, Scots carpeting, black, blue and cloth colour'd knit patterns for breeches, men and womens white and glaiz'd gloves, cambricks and lawns, patches of ditto, holland tape and bobbin, white lace and edging, black and gauze lace, white and colour'd Scots threads, brown ditto, broad and narrow quality bindings, superfine silk and hair, Scots kenting, staff and silk shoes, a large assortment of coat and jacket yellow and white metal buttons, sleeve ditto, sundry sorts of shoe and knee buckles, buck and bone table knives and forks, Hoole's pistol capt knives, cuttoe ditto, seal end penknives, brass handled ditto, taylors shears, womens sciffars, razors, men and womens brass and steel thimbles, jews harps, darning and sewing needles, pins, snuff-boxes of sundry sorts, Holman's inkpowder, playing cards, writing paper, ivory combs, horn ditto, best London crown glass, pewter dishes, plates and basons, long and short pipes, gunpowder, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 20, 24, and 30d. nails, sprigs and trunk ditto, long and short scythes, frying pans, locks of sundry sorts, and plate bolts, handsaws, drawing knives, axes, hammers, chizels of sundry sorts, and files, hinges, augers, tap-borers, spike and nail gimblets, tin and horn lanthorns, bellows, iron and brass candlesticks, scrubbing brushes and clamps, sweeping, clothes, hearth, table, and shoe brushes, of different sorts, a large assortment of painters brushes, sundry sorts of tin ware, brimstone, allom, copperas, best French indigo, snuff, tea, coffee, chocolate, alspice, English and Boston loaf sugar, old Jamaica spirit, best English quills, corks, Florence oil, muscovado sugars, Madeira and Lisbon wine. Also a large assortment of ship chandlery, viz. English cables and anchors, cordage of all sizes, Russia and English duck, bunting of all kinds, pitch, tar and turpentine, with all the different artic es wanted in that way; where those that favour us with their business may depend on being well used.

N. B. All persons indebted to the estate of Matthew and Abraham Usher, are once more desir'd to come and pay their respective debts to prevent trouble. And all that are indebted to Matthew Watson deceased, are likewise desir'd to come and pay, or else they may expect to be troubled. Tbctf.

To be LETT,

A LARGE house, with or without a large lumber yard, fit for a gentleman or Inn-keeper, between Poole's Bridge and the Sugar-house, fronting Front-street; the tenant, if he pleases, may rent six acres of ground with the house, which lies at the back of it. Enquire of ANTHONY WILKINSON.

STOLEN or rid away, on the first of April last, at night, from the subscriber, living at the head of Bohemia, in Cecil county, Maryland, a bay horse, about 14 hands high, with a black mane and tail, a natural pacer, has a mealy mouth, and a small wart above one of his eyes. He is supposed to be stolen by one John Hughes, of a small stature, wears a blue great coat, lightish colour'd strait bodied coat, a plad jacket, a wig, and a pair of boots. Said Hughes has a felon over one of his eyes, which makes him squint a little. Whoever takes up and secures the said horse, so as the owner may have him again, shall have a *Pistole* reward, paid by HENRY M'CAY. ⊕

To be sold by

JOSEPH DONALDSON, Hatter,

A LOT of ground, in Wicacoa, containing in front 47 feet, and in depth 66 feet, with a good house, and two cellars that are walled up; the house letts for Twenty Pounds a year. Likewise a water lot, fronting the said house and ground, 24 feet front on the said street, and extends to low water: And also a lot on the north end of the said house, 36 feet front, and 66 feet deep. The whole is clear of ground-rent, and the title is indisputable. The house is now in the tenure of Francis Shore, at the sign of the Tun. ‡

To be SOLD,

At the upper End of Germantown,

A Stone messuage or tenement, containing in breadth, on Germantown Main-street 43 feet, and in length or depth 20 feet, bounding upon William Allen Esquire's country seat. Also a stone kitchen, adjacent to the said messuage, containing in breadth 16 feet, and in length or depth 34 feet. Together with about eleven acres of land thereunto belonging, one half thereof being woodland. There is a fine young orchard on said land. The title is indisputable. It is finely situated for a gentleman's country seat. For terms of sale, enquire of the owner,

CONRAD WEYTTNERE.

For CAPE-FEAR directly,

The SHIP

WILLIAM and MARY,

WILLIAM OSBORN

Master,

Will sail in ten Days.

For freight or passage apply to William Blair, or said master on board, at Mr. Wharton's wharff.

N. B. *There are a few likely men servants to be disposed of on board said vessel.* †

Philadelphia, May 15, 1754.

For JAMAICA,

The Brig FRIENDSHIP.

THOMAS FOWLE Master,

Will sail in three weeks. For freight or passage, apply to the said master on board, or at his lodgings at Jeremiah Smith's, at the sign of the Queen of Hungary. She is a prime sailer, and has good accommodations for Passengers. She has one half of her cargo already engaged. §

Philadelphia, May 2, 1754.

For LONDON,

The SHIP

MYRTILLA,

Capt. MARSDEN,

Will sail in 5 weeks from this Date.

For freight or passage, apply to said master, or to DAVID FRANKS.

N. B. Great variety of European and East-India goods imported in the last ships from London, to be sold by said Franks.

To be SOLD,

A Likely young servant man's time, by trade a Taylor, who has three years and a half to serve. Enquire of William Scott, in Front-street. ¶

For LONDON,

The SHIP

CAROLINA,

Stephen Mesnard,

Commander;

Will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage, apply to James Pemberton, or said commander.

N. B. She has extraordinary accommodations for passengers.

For Cape Fear, *in* North-Carolina,

The SNOW

BARBADOS FACTOR,

JOSEPH GREENWAY

Master,

Will sail about the 15th of this inst. For freight or passage, apply to Jonathan Lewis, or said master on board, at Lloyd's wharff. She is a prime sailer, and has extraordinary accommodations for passengers.

To be sold by

EDWARD DOWERS,

At his house in Chestnut-street, where Alexander Cruikshanks formerly lived,

CHOICE eating oil by the jar, gallon, quart or flask, choice anchovies, capers and olives, floor matts of sundry sizes, and carpets for floors or tables, &c. ¶

To be SOLD by

JOSEPH SAUNDERS,

At his house, wherein Israel Pemberton, senior, lately lived, next door to James Pemberton, and near the Queen's Head, in Water-street,

SUNDRY sorts of dye stuffs, as madder, ground red-wood, fustick, galls, log-wood and brazilletto, indigo, allom, copperas, also brimstone, English glue, bar lead, shot, gunpowder, neat powder flasks, sundry sorts of nails, steel, A C. No. 3. long and short pipes, cutlary; ozenbrigs, garlix, twilled baging, blankets and rugs, flannel, shaloons, silk, linen and cotton handkerchiefs, ell-wide persians, muslins, calicoes, cotton and linen checks, buckrams, hat crapes, and Russia sheeting; writing paper of several sorts; sale twine; also Jamaica spirit, West-India and Philadelphia rum, loaf and muscovado sugar, coffee, tea and chocolate, rice, pepper, alspice, ginger, cinnamon, nutmegs, mace and cloves, salt petre, sweet oil, and sundry other goods.

N. B. The INSURANCE-OFFICE for SHIPPING is kept by him as usual.

BORDEN-TOWN STAGE is carried on as formerly, viz.

JOSEPH BORDEN's State boat, NICHOLAS GEORGE Master, attends at the Crooked billet wharff every Monday and Tuesday; and his Shallop, CHARLES TAYLOR Master, at the same wharff every Friday and Saturday; the Stage-waggon, kept by *Joseph Richards*, attends the same boats; the Stage-boat at Amboy, kept by *James Wells*, late from Philadelphia. Our adversaries have been pleased to advertise that they can give people greater dispatch than we can, to that we appeal to fact: As we were the promoters of this scheme, as yet of no advantage to any but the publick, and as we take pay for 13 miles less land-carriage than the Burlington people do, we hope all well-minded People will lay their commands upon their humble Servants,

JOSEPH BORDEN, jun.
JOSEPH RICHARDS,
JAMES WELLS. Tbc.

ALL persons that have any demands against the late partnership of Levy and Franks, or estate of Nathan Levy, are desired to bring them in for payment: And all those indebted to them, are earnestly requested to be speedy in their payments, or they may depend on being sued. DAVID FRANKS.

N. B. To be sold, exceeding cheap, at the late company's store, in Second-street, in order to finish accounts, A very great assortment of European and India goods, cutlary ware, nails, Russia duck, Scotch and rappee snuff, &c. &c. &c. Tbctf.

Just imported in the last vessels from London, and to be sold by

MORDECAI YARNALL,

At the sign of the Hand-Saw, in Second-street, near Black-horse-alley, cheap for ready money, the following goods, viz.

BROAD cloths, kerseys, shaloons, buttons and twist, camblets, camblettees, plush, worsted damasks, russels, velvet caps, ozenbrigs, Irish linens, check linen, cambricks, clear lawns, broad lawns, pistol lawns, garlix, table-cloths, napkening and clouting diaper, bed-ticks, bengals, sewing silk, calicoes, stamped linens, white and colour'd threads, muslins, gloves, black paduasoy, bandanoes, ferret and cotton laces, nutmegs, cloves, mace, green rugs, striped duffels, hard metal and other pewter, looking glasses, of all sizes, 20, 10, 12, and 8d nails, cutlary, London steel, A C, No. 3, mill-saws, wire mousetraps, gunpowder, shot, bohea tea, allom, copperas, brass kettles and milk pans, bibles, testaments, spelling books, primers, horn books, &c. ✠53. Tbctf.

DONALDSON and FULLER,

Are removed from their late store in Walnut-street, to the store Messieurs Randle and Alexander Mitchell lately kept, in Water-street, next door to Mr. Samuel Neave, and near opposite to Capt. John Phillips's, where they continue to sell, very cheap for ready money, or three months credit,

BEarskins, coarse broad-cloths, green naps, half-thicks, Yorkshire plains, red, scarlet, white and striped flannels, spotted ermin, mot-spotted rugs, shaloons, camblets, calimancoes, tammies and florettas, mens and womens worsted stockings, scarlet and cloth colour'd womens short cloaks, worsted and silk caps, Dutch and Irish ozenbrigs, 6 qr. yd. wd. and 7-eights cotton and linen checks, cotton hollands, Scotch checks, yard-wide and 7-eights Irish linen, coarse and fine sheetings, cambricks and lawns in pieces and patches, 6 qr. muslins, calicoes and printed linens, black taffeties, India persians, a variety of figured paduasoy and taffety ribbons, holland tapes, bobbins, shirt buttons, wig ribbons and cauls, baladine sewing silks, black velvet, colour'd and Scotch threads, number threads, gartering and laces, quality bindings, gilt trunks, horse-whips, edging and gauze lace, writing paper, pins and needles, playing cards, sconce and pier looking glasses, India pictures, corks, London nails, 8, 10, 12 and 20d, window blinds, box irons, Scotch and romal handkerchiefs, silver watches, bohea tea, by the chest or dozen, a large assortment of cutlary, most kinds of shoemakers tools, and several other kinds of goods suitable for the season.

N. B. They have just opened a fresh parcel of yard-wide and 7-eights Irish linens. They have likewise a Dutch servant girl to dispose of, who has 4 years to serve, and very fit for country work.

T. b. c. t. f.

Just imported from London, and to be sold by
STEPHEN CARMICK,
At at ſtore under Capt. William Spofford's, in Market-ſtreet, near Market-wharff,

OZenbrigs, 6 qr. yard, 7-eights and 3 qr. cotton and linen checks, fine and coarſe yard wide and 7 eights Iriſh linens, yard-wide tandems, garlix, buckrams, long lawns, broad lawns and cambricks, chints, calicoes, printed cottons, and fine hair colour'd printed linens, cotton romals, linen handkerchiefs, new romals, lungees, ſpotted and flower'd bandanoes, black, blue, ſtriped, changeable cloth colour'd perſian taffeties, blue and cloth colour'd boil'd camblets, yard-wide and narrow corded poplins, worſted and thread ſtockings, tammies, durants, ſhaloons, black, blue and ſcarlet everlaſtings, ſcarlet garters, in garters and whole pieces, cotton and ſilk laces, 6 qr. muſlin, quality binding, vermillion, brown heſſens, ſuperfine ſaggathies, ſcarlet, blue, black and cloth colour'd knit breeches, horſe-whips, beſt baladine ſewing ſilks of all colours, Scots, Nuns, and colour'd threads, beſt ſuperfine broad-cloths, Iriſh and Ruſſia ſheeting, colour'd fuſtians, writing paper, Weſton's beſt ſnuff, beſt mill-ſaws, powder, ſhot, cutlary, &c.

Philadelphia, April 5, 1754.

RUN away, laſt night, from Wallace and Bryan, on Market-ſtreet wharff, a neeſh of Ireland ſervant man, named Richard Devine, of a middle ſtature, freſh complexion, and ſimple in his looks and behaviour. Had on, a dark foreſt cloth coat, remarkably ſhort, a pair of black everlaſting breeches, a ſtriped flannel waiſtcoat, check ſhirt, grey hoſe, a hat and wig. He alſo took with him a pair of ſcarlet breeches, a fuſtian waiſtcoat, two other pair of hoſe, and two ſpare wigs. Whoever takes up and returns ſaid ſervant to his maſters, ſhall have Fifty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by WALLACE and BRYAN.

N. B. There is ſome reaſon to think he went towards Bucks county.

Philadelphia, April 23, 1754.

RUN away on Sunday laſt, from Barnet Vanhorne, living in Northampton townſhip, Bucks county, A Dutch ſervant man, named Hance Dieder, about 35 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, and very well-ſet, has loſt two of his upper teeth, pretty full faced, and has ſtraight brown hair: Had on, A blue Dutch coat and jacket, linen breeches, grey yarn ſtockings, middling good Dutch ſhoes, with nails in the ſoals, and a coarſe felt hat. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo as his maſter may have him again, ſhall have Five Pounds reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by BARNET VANHORNE. ¶

Philadelphia, April 23, 1754.

RUN away on Sunday morning laſt, from Joſeph Carter, Miller, in Northampton townſhip, Bucks county, A Dutch ſervant man, named John Leonard Zembes, a middle ſized fellow, well-ſet, of a freſh colour, and has black buſhey hair: Had on when he went away, A ſilk camblet coat, which has been turned, and much worn, and is pretty much patched with the ſame, with a ſnuff colour'd patch on the back, old leather breeches, blue ſtockings, footed a little above the ſhoes with pale blue, half-worn ſhoes, with braſs buckles, homeſpun ſhirt, and a broad brimmed hat. He's by trade a pin and button-maker. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo as his maſter may have him again, ſhall have Five Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

¶ JOSEPH CARTER.

Juſt imported in the Ship Beulah, Capt. Ritchie, and to be ſold cheap, for ready money or ſhort credit, by
BENJAMIN KENDALL,
At the corner of Third-ſtreet, in Cheſtnut-ſtreet,

LONDON nails, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 20d, ſprigs, trunk and clout nails, caſe knives and forks, with variety of other cutlary, carpenters and joiners tools, braſs furniture, &c. ſadlers ware, ſcale beams and ſcales, dripping and frying pans, India and plain waiters, from 8 to 15 inches, dog irons, ſhovels and tongs, alſo braſs nobs ſeparate for each, pewter, copper and braſs ware, ſnuff boxes and fans, common and Whitechapel needles, neat guns, with powder and ſhot, braſs and iron candleſticks and ſnuffers, jack chains, traces and horſe bells, in ſetts, ſhoe and knee buckles, eight day and thirty hour clocks, ſilver watches, crown glaſs; variety of linen and cotton checks and ſtripes, camblets, calimancoes and damaſks, waiſtcoat and breeches patterns, Iriſh linen and Lancaſter ſheeting; variety of maps and fiſhing tackle, Engliſh RED CLOVER SEED, with ſundry other goods, too tedious to mention.

N. B. A great Variety of Threads and Engliſh twilled Bagging.

To be SOLD,

A Meſſuage and lot of ground, containing in breadth north and ſouth 33 feet, and in depth 198 feet, bounded eaſtward with Fourth-ſtreet, northward with ground late of John Ingram, weſtward and ſouthward with ground of doctor Moore, and Richard Hill, junior, with the appurtenances. For title and terms of ſale, enquire of Meſſieurs CHARLES *and* ALEXANDER STEDMAN.

WHereas Catherine, the wife of William Johnſon, of Worceſter, Philadelphia county, Weaver, hath, at ſeveral times, eloped from her huſband; theſe are to forewarn all perſons not to truſt her on his account, for he will pay no debts of her contracting from the date hereof. April 25, 1754.

⊕ WILLIAM JOHNSON.

To be ſold, by
THOMAS WHARTON,
At his ſtore, on Carpenter's wharff, where Joſeph Saunders formerly kept, being down that alley, oppoſite to Abraham Taylor's, in Water-ſtreet,

SUNDRY ſorts of dye ſtuffs, viz. Madder, ground red wood, fuſtick, galls, log-wood, brazilletto, beſt indigo, allom and copperas, alſo brimſtone, gun-powder, ſteel, A C. No. 3. pipes in cags: Ozenbrigs, ſhaloon, muſlins, calicoes, mens and womens horſe-whips, gold pattern and glaſs ſleeve buttons, braſs ink-pots, ivory and horn combs, ink-powder, ſhoe and knee buckles, table knives and forks, buck, capp'd and Stafford pen-knives, ſciſſars, razors, marking irons, awl-blades, ſhoe tacks and ſhoe-knives, taylors ſhears, piſtol capp'd knives, hard metal table and tea-ſpoons, ſteel coffee-mills, gimblets, pot, propatria and poſt paper, wool cards, ground and race ginger, all-ſpice, pepper, coffee, nutmegs, cloves and mace, Weſton's ſnuff, hyſon, green and bohea tea, loaf and muſcovado ſugar, Weſt-India and Philadelphia rum, melaſſes, and ſundry other goods. Tbetf.

N. B. The Inſurance office, for ſhipping, is there kept.

Juſt imported in the Carolina, Capt. Meſnard, and to be ſold by
JACOB SHOEMAKER, junior,
Between the ſigns of the Indian King, and White Horſe, in Market-ſtreet,

A Compleat aſſortment of drugs and medicines. Alſo Bateman's and Baniſter's drops, Britiſh oil, genuine Stoughton's elixir, Daffy's elixir, Hungary-water, Turlington's balſam, Fraunce's female elixir, Godfrey's cordial, ſagoe, volatile ſalt of lavender, balſam of Gilead, oils of roſemary, rhodium, mint, lavender, penny-royal, rue, cinnamon, mace, nutmegs, cloves, ſavin, and amber, oil of linſeed cold drawn, carraway-ſeed, cumin-ſeed, fennegreek-ſeed, annis-ſeed, grains of paradiſe, coriander-ſeed, worm-ſeed, Dr. Stephens's water, Squire's grand elixir, and ſundry other things, too tedious to mention.

Alſo a compleat aſſortment of colours for all ſorts of painting. Tbc.

VEry good Lamp-black ſold at the New-Printing-Office.

A SCHEME
Of a LOTTERY, for raiſing the ſum of Five Hundred Sixty-two Pounds, Ten Shillings, to be applied towards the purchaſing of a meſſuage and lot of ground in Germantown, for the miniſter of the Dutch Lutheran Congregation, and School-houſe, &c. for the benefit of the poor of the ſociety.

Number of Prizes.		Value in Pieces of Eight.		Total Value.
1	of	400	is	400
1	of	100	is	100
3	of	50	are	150
15	of	20	are	300
150	of	10	are	1500
1250	of	6	are	7500
			First drawn,	25
1420 Prizes.			Laſt drawn,	25
3580 Blanks.				
5000 Tickets, at two Pieces of Eight each, is				10000

THE drawing to begin on the 24th day of June next, or ſooner, if ſooner full, in the preſence of at leaſt three of the managers, and as many of the adventurers as ſhall think fit to attend, and continue drawing till finiſhed.

A liſt of the prizes to be publiſhed in the publick papers as ſoon as the drawing is compleated, that the fortunate may know the fate of their tickets.

The money to be paid to the fortunate, as ſoon as the drawing is finiſhed, the ſum of Fifteen per Cent. being firſt deducted.

The managers appointed are Sebaſtine Neff, George Donnenhaver, Jacob Miller, Charles Hay, Jacob Beyerle, and Matthias Gainſele, who are to give bond, and be upon oath for the faithful diſcharge of their truſt.

The tickets will begin to be ſold by the managers, at their reſpective dwellings on Friday the 7th of September inſt.

We hope a deſign of this kind will meet with encouragement, as the only motive that induced the ſociety to enter on ſuch a ſcheme, was their being thoroughly ſenſible of the diſadvantages they labour under, and the great neceſſity there is of a houſe in Germantown, for their miniſter to inſtruct thoſe children in reading and writing, whoſe parents are unable to give them ſuch education; and as the ſociety amongſt themſelves are unable to accompliſh ſuch an undertaking, were importuned to have recourſe to a lottery, in order to enable them to carry on the ſame, as it will tend to the publick good.

N. B. The drawing to be fixed in ſuch manner that in the firſt 4746 tickets in every ſeven following numbers there ſhall be two prizes certain; and in the remaining 254 in every four following numbers ſhall be one prize certain; ſo that any adventurer upon purchaſing ſeven following numbers cannot poſſibly loſe but two Pieces of Eight, and the Fifteen per Cent. of the two prizes, that is, ſetting the caſe he gets the loweſt prizes, tho' nevertheleſs at the ſame time he ſtands as fair a chance for any of the higher prizes, as in the drawing of any other lottery.

Tickets in the above lottery are alſo to be had at Mrs Daniel Benezet's, and Mrs Alexander Huſton's.

A SCHEME
Of a LOTTERY, for raiſing the ſum of *Six Hundred and Seventy-five Pounds*, to be applied to erecting a School-Houſe, aſſiſting a Schoolmaſter, &c. for the benefit of the poor of the ſociety of the Dutch Reformed Congregation, commonly called the Calviniſts, in Philadelphia.

Number of Prizes.		Value in Pieces of Eight.		Total Value.
1	of	500	is	500
2	of	250	are	500
3	of	200	are	600
12	of	100	are	1200
20	of	50	are	1000
40	of	25	are	1000
200	of	10	are	2000
850	of	6	are	5100
			First drawn,	50
1128 Prizes,			Laſt drawn,	50
1872 Blanks,				
3000 Tickets, at four Pieces of Eight,				12000

Not quite one blank and three quarters to a prize.

AS ſoon as the lottery is drawn, an account of the fortunate tickets ſhall be publiſhed in the Pennſylvania Gazette, and the prizes paid by the ſigners of the reſpective tickets, after deducting Fifteen per Cent.

The following perſons are appointed managers, viz. Henry Baſſler, Daniel Bouton, Leonard Melchior, John Goll, Jacob Utrey, John Stillwagon, Jacob Maag, Bernard Lawerſwyler, Chriſtopher Geller, and John Kempfer, who are to give bond, and be on oath for the faithful performance of their truſt.

The prizes not demanded in ſix months after the drawing, to be deemed generouſly given for the uſes aforeſaid, and not to be demanded afterwards.

We hope a deſign of this kind will meet with publick encouragement, as the ſociety, without troubling others, hitherto have done all in their power to erect a place of worſhip in this city; but conceiving the inſtructing the riſing generation of the utmoſt conſequence, and many of the ſociety unable to bear the expence of ſchooling, they have been tempted to take theſe meaſures to procure publick help to erect a ſchool-houſe, and aſſiſting a maſter in inſtructing the helpleſs in the principles of religion, and the uſeful knowledge of reading and writing.

The drawing to begin on the 20th day of May next, and to continue till finiſhed, at the new building next door to the ſign of the Saſſafras-tree, in Saſſafras-ſtreet, commonly called Race-ſtreet, where due attendance and care ſhall be given by the managers; ſuch of the adventurers as chuſe to attend, may be by at the drawing.---Some tickets remaining abroad that we have no account of yet, and a few undiſpoſed of by the managers, oblige us thus to put off the drawing for a few weeks.

Which tickets are now ſelling by the above managers, at their reſpective dwellings; and by Jacocb Winey, Michael Deal, and Henry Shellenberg.

Imported, in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold by
ALEXANDER HUSTON,
In Second-ſtreet, oppoſite to the Baptiſt Meeting-houſe, the following goods, viz.

HYSON, bohea, and common green teas, hempen and flaxen ſprigs, ozenbrigs, white and brown heſſens, Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheetings, hempen and flaxen ruſſias, raven duck, tandems, gulix, Nuns and Iriſh hollands, damaſk and diaper tablecloths, damaſk and diaper napkening and clouting, princes linen, brown hollands, long, flowered, broad and clear lawns, in pieces and patches, cambricks, yd. wd. ell wd. 6-qr. coarſe and fine muſlins, India ſilk, viz. damaſks, paduaſoys, black and cloth colour'd taffeties, ſtriped and plain perſians, China blue and common blue bed callicoes, green, blue, and cloth colour'd mantuas, great variety of printed linens and callicoes, India and Engliſh chints, coarſe and fine ginghams, bengals, romals, bandanoes, ſuperfine worſted black damaſks, calimancoes, ſhaloons broad and narrow, ſilk and worſted ſaggathies, variety of linen and cotton checks, 3d. 10d, 12d. and 20d. nails, pewter, copper kettles, &c. Tbetf.

Juſt imported in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold cheap for ready money or ſhort credit, by
THOMAS M'JANETT and Company,
At their ſtore, in Water-ſtreet, near the Tun Tavern,

A Large aſſortment of European and India goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon; likewiſe great choice of hard ware. Tbc.

SCHEME
Of a LOTTERY, in Connecticut, for the benefit of the College in New-Jerſey.

Whereas on the petition of the truſtees of the college of New-Jerſey, lately preſented to the General Court or Aſſembly of the colony of Connecticut, for the erection of a publick lottery in that colony, in favour of the ſaid college; the ſaid General Court or Aſſembly hath generouſly impowered the truſtees of the ſaid college to ſet up a lottery in their colony for the purpoſe above-mentioned: The ſaid lottery will conſiſt of 8888 tickets, of which 3088 are to be fortunate, viz.

Numb. of Prizes.		York Currency.		Pieces of 8.		Total Val.
1	of	£ 501,	or	1252 and an half,	is	£ 501
2	of	250,	or	625	are	500
4	of	125,	or	312 and an half,	are	500
8	of	100,	or	250	are	800
16	of	50,	or	125	are	800
30	of	20,	or	50	are	600
50	of	10,	or	25	are	500
100	of	5,	or	12 and an half,	are	500
2877	of	3,	or	7 and an half,	are	8631
3088 Prizes, 5800 Blanks,) 8888 Tickets, at 30 s. York Currency, or 3 and 3 qrs. Ps. of 8 each, is						£ 13332

Fifteen per Cent. to be deducted from the Prizes.

AS publick ſeminaries of learning not only tend to promote the private welfare of the communities in which they are founded, but to advance the honour, the reputation, and the happineſs of a country in general; it is hoped, that all thoſe who would encourage the progreſs of the liberal ſciences, and are well-wiſhers to the propagation of chriſtianity in theſe parts of the world, will chearfully become adventurers here; and the more freely, conſidering the above ſcheme is ſo well calculated for the benefit of the proprietors of tickets, as not to have two blanks to a prize. Publick notice will be given of the preciſe time of putting the tickets into the boxes, that ſuch adventurers as are inclined may be preſent when the ſame ſhall be done. The drawing to commence on the firſt Tueſday in June next, or ſooner if full, at the town of Stamford in Connecticut, under the inſpection of two juſtices of peace of the colony of Connecticut, and of two perſons who ſhall be appointed by the truſtees of the college of New-Jerſey. The publick will have fourteen days notice of the time of drawing. The managers are ſworn to the faithful diſcharge of the truſt repoſed in them, and have alſo given ſecurity for the ſame. The prizes will be publiſhed in the New-York and Pennſylvania Gazettes, and the money paid to the poſſeſſors of benefit tickets, as ſoon as the drawing is finiſhed. Tickets are to be had at the dwelling-houſes of Mr. John Lloyd, Ephraim Boſtwick, Eſq; and Dr. Nathaniel Hubbard, in the town of Stamford, in Connecticut, who are appointed managers. Tickets will alſo be ſold by Mr. David Vanhorne, in New-York; Samuel Woodruff, Eſq; in Elizabeth-town; Mr. Sergeant, treaſurer of the college of New-Jerſey, in Newark; John Stockton, Eſq; in Prince-town; the Rev. Mr. Cowell, and meſſieurs Reed and Furman, in Trenton; Mr. Charles Hoff, junior, in Kingwood; Mr. John Imley, in Bordentown; and meſſieurs George Spafford, Andrew Reed, William Grant, John Sayre, Andrew Hodge, William Henry, Hugh M'Cullough, and Samuel Hazard, in Philadelphia. The prizes will be paid by thoſe gentlemen who ſhall have diſpoſed of the numbers drawing ſuch prizes.

Notice is hereby given, That
EDWARD BROADFIELD,
Is removed from Bordentown to Trenton,

AND continues to pickle ſturgeon in the ſafeſt and beſt manner, and with more conveniency for the getting the fiſh alive out of the river, than at Bordentown; and perſons who did favour him with their cuſtom laſt year, may depend upon being equally or better ſerved now, being more in his power for the reaſons aforeſaid. And all perſons who ſhall buy to export abroad, if care be taken that the kegs loſe not their pickle, will be warranted to keep good in the hotteſt climate for two years; and all perſons who ſhall have occaſion for preſent uſe, and home conſumption, when they open the kegs, will firſt draw off the pickle below the bung, then take out the head, put the bung in tight, harden the hoops on, put the pickle in, and cloth on the kegs with the head upon that, with a ſmall weight thereon to keep the air out, and you may preſerve the fiſh as long as you pleaſe. The ſaid fiſh is to be ſold by no other perſons than Nathaniel Allen, jun. in Water-ſtreet, oppoſite William Allen, Eſq; or ſaid Broadfield, at Trenton.

N. B. Whereas one William Pancoaſt, of Bordentown, the laſt ſeaſon, having my brand at his houſe, branded a parcel of kegs with the ſaid brand, which has given me great reaſon to believe it was done with an intent of impoſing his fiſh for mine, therefore I have thought proper to inform the publick, that they might not ſuffer by ſuch a deceit; and if the ſaid William Pancoaſt ſhall be prov'd to offer any of the ſaid kegs, in my name, to ſale, or any other perſon for him, will be proſecuted as the law directs.

¶ Tbc. 3 M.

Imported in the laſt Veſſels from London, Liverpool and Dublin, and but juſt now opened, and to be ſold by
WALLACE and BRYAN,
At their ſtore, on Market-ſtreet wharff,

A Great variety of goods ſuitable for the approaching ſeaſon, alſo a freſh parcel of Iriſh linens, which they will ſell on very reaſonable terms, at a ſhort credit, and will give good encouragement to thoſe who buy for caſh.

N. B. They have ſome choice Iriſh beef, red Port and Fyall wines, Engliſh beer, double and ſingle refined ſugar in loaves, red clover ſeed, Engliſh flax, and ſail-cloth, earthen-ware of all ſorts, which will be ſold at prime coſt. Alſo a Dutch boy and a woman ſervant's time to be ſold.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by publick vendue, at 4 a clock, on the 17th inſt. May, at John Biddle's, A meſſuage and lot of land, ſituated on the north ſide of High-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, bounded ſouthward by High-ſtreet, northward by John Rouſe's ground, weſtward by an alley, and eaſtward by George Yard's ground, containing in width, on High-ſtreet, 16 feet, and in length, from High-ſtreet to the aforeſaid alley, 73 feet, ſubject to dower during the life of Ruth Snowden, widow; late the eſtate of John Snowden, and two thirds in his tenure, the other in the tenure of the widow; taken in execution by SAMUEL MORRIS.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by publick vendue, at two a clock, on the 20th day of this inſt. May, at the premiſes, A tract or parcel of land, in Lower Merion townſhip, adjoining the lands late of Richard Harriſon, of Evan Lloyd, of John Lewellin, and to other land of the defendant Hugh Jones, containing 100 acres, be the ſame more or leſs; late the eſtate of Hugh Jones; taken in execution by

SAMUEL MORRIS, ſheriff.

Juſt imported in the Myrtilla, Capt. Marſden, from London, to be ſold by
GEORGE SMITH,
At his ſtore in Front-ſtreet, between Norris and Gray's alleys,

A GOOD aſſortment of European and Eaſt India goods, cheap, for ready money, or ſhort credit. tbctf.

DROpt from a watch, on Saturday, the 27th of laſt month, A large ſtone ſeal, ſet in gold. Whoever brings it to the New-Printing-Office, ſhall receive Twenty Shillings reward. And if it ſhould be offered to any of the ſilver ſmiths for ſale, it is deſired they would be ſo good as to ſtop it.

[*See the Half-ſheet for the other Advertiſements.*]

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

Saturday *laſt arriv'd here the* London, *Capt.* Shirley, *from* London, *in about ſix Weeks Paſſage, by whom we have the following Advices, viz.*

MADRID, February 26.

MR. Keene, Ambaſſador from the King of Great-Britain, has lately delivered ſeveral Memorials, in which he inſiſts very ſtrenuouſly upon the Reſtitution of the Engliſh Ships which were illegally taken by Spaniſh Privateers in the American Seas; and likewiſe upon the Neceſſity of concerting proper Meaſures to prevent ſuch Subjects of Complaint for the future. There is great Talk of our Court's ſending ſome Ships to act in Conjunction with the French in bombarding Algiers. 'Tis aſſured that three Ships laden with Corn from Sicily for his Majeſty's Account, have lately been taken by the Corſairs of that Regency.

The Drought, which laid our Fields deſolate laſt Year, threatens us with the ſame Calamity this Seaſon. There fell a little Rain in the Beginning of laſt Month; but it was ſoon dried up by the Sun and Wind, which ſtill prevail.

Paris, March 11. Yeſterday Morning M. Grandjean de la Croix, a Member of the Court of Chatelet, and M. Bourdin, Procurator in that Court, were arreſted, on Account of their Conduct in the Proceedings againſt the Curate of St. Nicholas des Champs, and both ſent to the Baſtile.

Paris, March 15. Several Members of Parliament who had obtained Leave to come hither for their Health or private Affairs, have been unexpectedly ordered to the Places of their Exile.

A Courier is arrived at Verſailles from Turin, with Diſpatches of ſuch a Nature, that he is immediately to be ſent back, and an Expreſs is already gone to Madrid with the Contents of them.

Hanover, March 12. Great Numbers of Horſes have been purchaſed all over the Empire, for the mounting the Pruſſian Cavalry and Dragoons.

Stockholm, March 5. Some Difficulties concerning the Limits of Finland, have occaſioned the Conferences to be ſuſpended; they cannot, however, be ſaid to be formally broke up, the Commiſſioners of the two Powers not being ſeparated.

Conſtantinople, Feb. 2. The Contagion is again entirely ceaſed; the Grand Vizir's Head Clerk being dead, Abdallah Effendi, formerly Maſter of the Mint, ſucceeds him in this Poſt, which, if honourable and important, is no leſs dangerous; for a Grand Vizir not equal to it, or averſe to Buſineſs, throws the whole Weight on the Head Clerk, and what is ſtill worſe, when the Conduct of the Vizir happens to diſpleaſe, Exile is the worſt he has to fear, whereas the Clerk pays for the Miniſter's Faults with the Bowſtring.

Naples, Feb. 26. His Majeſty has now at Command a well diſciplined Army of near 30,000 Men, excluſive of Garriſons. An Engagement is ſaid to have happened betwixt the Malteſe and ſome of our Ships: It is, however, certain, that two Malteſe Veſſels making into Paola with Signets of Diſtreſs, the Commandant obliged them to keep off, and they both foundered. The Britiſh Envoy has frequent Meetings with the Miniſtry on a commercial Treaty. Two of our Nobility quarreling at a Ball, on the important Point of Precedency in Dancing, they went out to Fight, and their Domeſticks interpoſing, one of them received a mortal Wound; the King has confined them to their Houſes.

Paris, March 15. Proviſions of all Kinds, eſpecially Vegetables, both here and in the Country, are at an exorbitant Price.

A Letter from Algiers mentions the following Particulars; "The French Conſul has ſo effectually repreſented to the Dey the Vengeance which would inevitably fall upon him if he perſiſted in his Refuſal to deliver up the Crew belonging to Capt. Prepaud's Ship, that he has already releas'd them, together with the Ship and Cargo. We hope this Complaiſance will put a Stop to the Armament deſign'd againſt us; however, the Preparations for repelling any Attacks are continued with equal Art and Diligence; and, which is never done but upon an extraordinary Occaſion, an Admiral is appointed, who is a Perſon of great naval Reputation: Our Fleet at preſent conſiſts of one Ship of 40 Guns, two of 34, two of 26, one of 22, three of 16, three of 14, two of 12, and one of 10, beſides ſeveral Row Gallies, and a Chebeck of 26 Guns now upon the Stocks, and nearly finiſhed."

Paris, March 18. We learn from Rouen, that the Reſolution taken by Profeſſor Caval's Party, and ſome other Eccleſiaſticks, to refuſe Abſolution of their Sins to thoſe who have read the laſt Remonſtrances of the Parliament of Normandy, has been already carried into Execution, and has cauſed great Diſturbances in that City.

They write from Aix in Provence, that the Parliament, on being informed that the King would not admit their Deputies to an Audience came to a Reſolution to ſpare no Prieſt who ſhall deny the Viaticum; and have actually depending before them a Proſecution for a Refuſal of the Sacraments to the Intendant of the County of Albert, made by Order of the Archbiſhop.

Laſt Night an old Eccleſiaſtick was brought to Town under a very ſtrong Guard, who conducted him to the Baſtile. 'Tis thought it is the famous Biſhop of Lizieux, whoſe late Sermon makes ſo great a Noiſe.

Venice, March 12. Our Miniſters at foreign Courts are ordered to declare that the Report of this Republick's entering into Treaty with the Regencies of Africa, was without any Foundation.

Legborn, March 12. According to our laſt Advices from Corſica, the Party of the Malecontents gathers Strength daily; and the Genoeſe Garriſons in Calvi and ſome other Places are greatly apprehenſive of being compelled to ſurrender to the Rebels.

Barcelona, March 1. *By the Preparations making here and in other Ports of this Kingdom, the Court ſeems determined to carry into Execution the Project for chaſtizing the Inſolence of the Algerine Corſairs; for which Purpoſe, it is generally believed, that ſeveral of our Ships and Veſſels are to join a ſtrong Squadron fitting out by the French in the Ports of Provence, and that afterwards they will ſail together for Algiers, in order to bombard that City.*

Extract of a Letter from Amſterdam, dated March 26.

"*We have Advice from Barcelona, that the Squadron which lies in that Harbour, waiting for Orders, conſiſts of Four Men of War, Four Frigates, and Three armed Chebecks.*

"*Letters from France adviſe, that great Diligence is uſed in aſſembling Seamen in all the Ports of Provence, to man the Fleet which is fitting out at Toulon.*

"*A Letter from Paris informs us that ſeveral Councils have been lately held in the King's Preſence, and that his Majeſty has been obſerved to be many Hours in his Cloſet in Conference with the Cardinal de Soubiſe and the ancient Biſhop of Mirepoix. The Subject under Conſideration, we are told, was the Meaſures to be taken for terminating the Differences between the Clergy and the Parliament. But what Reſolutions they came to, is not yet known. In the mean Time, the Parliament has the Mortification to receive frequent Complaints of Scandals given in its Abſence, and whilſt it is unable to put a Stop to them.*

Laſt Thurſday ſome of the Deputies of the Aſſembly of the States General had a Conference with the Princeſs Governante, at which the Field Marſhal Duke of Brunſwick Wolffenbuttel aſſiſted, on the propoſed Reduction in our Forces. The Deputies of the Colleges of the Admiralty of this Province continue to puſh the Affair of the Free Port with great Vigour; but the Zealanders are as backward as ever; and refuſe to ſend Deputies to confer on this Subject with thoſe of the Admiralty of Holland."

Paris A-La-Main, March 22. *They write from Genoa, that his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty has offered his Mediation to accommodate the Differences which ſubſiſt between the King of the Two Sicilies and the Malteſe, which News is highly agreeable to the Malteſe reſiding there.*

Turin, March 10. Our Letters from the Frontiers of France import, that there are actually 50,000 Troops in Languedoc, Provence, and Dauphiny; and that Seamen are raiſing at Antibes and the neighbouring Ports to compleat the Equipages of the Men of War aſſembled at Toulon.

Madrid, March 12. The Court has ſent Orders to Barcelona for Two Men of War, Four Frigates, and three Chebeques, to put to Sea, in order to protect the Navigation on the Coaſts of this Kingdom.

Marſeilles, March 15. Notwithſtanding the Satisfaction which the Algerines have lately given his Majeſty, there is no Talk of diſarming the Toulon Squadron; ſo that its Deſtination is now a Myſtery, which Time only can clear up.

Moſcow, March 1. A Report prevails very ſtrongly that the Grand Dutcheſs is pregnant, and if this ſhould be confirmed, it is thought the Court will not return to Peterſburgh ſo ſoon as it otherwiſe would have done.

Genoa, March 13. The Grand Maſter of Malta has given Notice to ſuch of the Knights as have ſuffered by the Reſentment of the King of the Two Sicilies, that they need not apply to their Relations for any Aſſiſtance, ſince they will receive conſtant and ſuitable Remittances from the Treaſure of the Order; but there is great Reaſon to hope that this Affair will be ſpeedily decided, his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty having offered his Mediation to the Court of Naples, and, at the ſame time, demanded that all Hoſtilities ſhould be immediately ſuſpended. The Affairs of Corſica grow every Day more ſerious, tho' the Publick is not acquainted with any Particulars; on the contrary, the greateſt Care is taken to prevent any Letters from that Iſland from paſſing into private Hands.

Naples, March 5. There is nothing yet regulated as to the Project of a Treaty of Peace between this Court and Great-Britain. Sir James Gray, the Britiſh Miniſter, attends very aſſiduouſly at Court, and is received with great Marks of Reſpect.

Berlin, March 19. It is at preſent certain that his Majeſty has given Directions for raiſing ſeveral Battalions in Sileſia, which are to receive their Pay out of the Military Cheſt in that Province.

Paris, March 23. The Report that the Perſon lately ſent to the Baſtile, for his Conduct as a Member of the Chatelet, being ſet at Liberty by the King's Order, is ſo far from being confirmed, that it is now looked upon as a Thing certain he is in a fair Way of following his Brother Counſellor, who was lately conveyed from that Priſon to the Grave. It is, however, acknowledged that the Letter of the Chatelet has made a great Impreſſion upon the King; and it is no leſs apparent, that the Credit of a great Miniſter declines every Day.

Hague, March 29. According to private Letters from Spain, we ſhall ſpeedily hear of an Embarkation in Catalonia.

Liſbon, Feb. 23. Our Fleet for Goa is ſail'd with 4000 Troops on board againſt the People of Paraguay, who pretend an independent Right there.

Naples, March 5. The new Levies are continued, but not ſo vigorouſly as they have been, nor is ſo much Diligence neceſſary, his Majeſty's Troops being nearly compleated. The ſeveral Magazines are ſupplying with warlike Stores, and new Store-houſes are erecting in the principal Places of the Kingdom, which will be filled with Proviſions in Caſe of Need; not that there is the leaſt Intention form'd to diſturb the Publick Tranquility: On the contrary, nothing is more wiſhed for than the Preſervation of it: But one of the beſt Methods to prevent a War, is to be in a Condition not to fear it.

From the GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE *for March*, 1754.

SCOTLAND.

At the Linen Manufactories in this Kingdom 9422593 Yards of Cloth, Value 445321 *l.* 18*s.* 1*d.* have been regularly ſtamped for Sale, from *November* 1, 1752, to *November* 1, 1753.

The Inhabitants of *Glaſgow* were alarm'd on the third Inſt. with the Sinking of the Walk along the River Side, near the Head of the Green, in Breadth at ſome Parts near 20, and in Length about 80 Yards; this Sinking, which at firſt appeared to be about 5 Feet, continued gradually for ſome Days, and is now above Ten. It is remarkable, that tho' the Diſtance from the Walk to the River is about 50 or 60 Yards, with a conſiderable Deſcent, yet it is only the higheſt Ground that is ſunk, no Alteration appearing near the Water's Edge, except a few ſmall Chinks.---*We ſhall ſuſpend our Opinion of this remarkable Event, till another Month.*

IRELAND.

While the Tragedy of *Mahomet the Impoſtor*, was acting on the 2d Inſt. at the Theatre in *Dublin*, the following Speech in the firſt Act being *Encored*,

------If, ye Powers divine!
Te mark the Movements of this nether World,
And bring them to Account; cruſh, cruſh theſe Vipers,
Who, ſingled out by a Community
To guard their Rights, ſhall for a Graſp of Ore,
Or paultry Office, ſell them to the Foe.

and the Actor who ſpoke it, refuſing, by Mr. *Sheridan*'s Orders, to repeat it; Mr. *Sheridan* alſo refuſing to appear on the Stage, and give his Reaſons why the *Encore* was not comply'd with, the Audience pull'd up the Benches, demoliſh'd the Boxes, Branches, Sconces, Inſtruments and Scenes, and left the Houſe reduced to a mere Shell.

The King's Letter is arrived, for paying off the national Debt of this Kingdom, of 77,500 l. the Circulation of which Sum in ready Caſh, at this critical Time, will be of great Advantage. It begins to be paid off on *March* 26; but thoſe that are willing to let their Debentures remain in the Treaſury, will be allowed intereſt till *June* 24, after which all Intereſt will ceaſe---On this Occaſion there was the greateſt Rejoicings by ringing of Bells, Bonfires, and Illuminations.---The Merchants and Traders waited on his Grace the Duke of *Dorſet*, by whoſe Benevolence this happy Event was accompliſhed, with an Addreſs of Thanks. To which his Grace was pleaſed to return a moſt gracious Anſwer.---*Thus the Peace and Tranquility of* Ireland *is reſtored, which an Accident had like to have interrupted, of which in ſome future* Magazine *we ſhall endeavour to give an authentick Account.*

The Pay of the Captains, Subalterns and Soldiers, on this Eſtabliſhment, is augmented.

On the 7th Inſtant an Aſſociation was agreed on, and ſigned by many of the Nobility, Gentry, and Merchants of this City, to ſupport the Credit of this City, and to accept and take in Payment the Bank Notes; which are likewiſe ordered to be taken at the Treaſury and publick Offices.

On the 26th ult. between Ten and Eleven at Night, a Meteor appear'd in the Sky, which aroſe in the Weſt, and reſembled two human Bodies, which ſeemed to run at each other with great Rapidity, illuminated the whole Hemiſphere, and continued about four Seconds.

LONDON.

March 16. *It begins to look very ſuſpicious, that the Quarrels between the Eccleſiaſticks and Parliaments of France, have been, in Part at leaſt, kept to amuſe their Neighbours, while Meaſures were taken to proſecute Quarrels of another Kind, of which they ſeem to make it no longer a Secret, that the Month of April will ſhew us their Effects.*

The French King's Forces appear by an authentick Liſt to amount to 221175 Men.

On the 15th of February, ſailed from Cadiz three Men of War, with the St. Anna, for the Caraccas; the Jeſus, Maria and Joſeph, for St. Domingo; an Advice Boat, for Carthagena; and the St. Marcos, alias El Marte, on a ſecret Expedition.

It is inſinuated in the laſt Advices from Paris, that it will require the utmoſt Stretch of political Skill to keep Things quiet in all Parts of Europe this Year: The Courts of Vienna, Verſailles, and Berlin, have already reſolved to form Camps, yet ſtill under the ſtale Pretext of exerciſing the Troops; but as Jealouſies and Fears ſeem to be rather increaſed than abated ſince laſt Year, they conclude that thoſe Camps will at length make ſomething more than meer Parades, as it can hardly be ſuppoſed that wiſe Governments would put themſelves to ſuch great Expence without ſome reaſonable Cauſe of Umbrage.

March 21. *Letters from France pretend, that the Fleet aſſembled at Toulon, conſiſts of twelve Ships of the Line, the leaſt of which carries Sixty Guns; Eight Frigates, Eight Bomb-Ketches, and Six Fire-Ships, beſides Victualling Ships. But whether it be deſigned againſt Algiers is not yet certain.*

March 23. *The Princeſs Duncoure, Mitchell, a French Ship, bound from Havre de Grace for Africa, is put into Plymouth. She has a Letter of Marque from the Government of France. As the Engliſh inſiſt that the French have no Right to Trade on the Gold Coaſt in Africa, and have ſeveral Times repulſed them, it is thought that this Ship is going with a Commiſſion to that Coaſt, in order to repel Force by Force.*

The Brazilian Nations on the Confines of the Country that is to be yielded to the Crown of Spain, have peremptorily declared that they will not ſubmit, alledging, that it is a Mark of the loweſt and baſeſt Slavery to be transferred from Nation to Nation for their Conveniency, and that therefore they are determined to convince ſuch as ſhall put that Treaty in Execution, that they have not Brutes, but Men, to deal with.

Perſons unbiaſſed in Reſpect to Party, and who have a competent Knowledge of the World, expreſs great Satisfaction, on the Report, that the Right Honourable Sir Thomas Robinſon, Knight of the Bath, and Maſter of the great Wardrobe, is ſpeedily to be made one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State; as he is a Perſon univerſally eſteemed at Home, and whoſe great Abilities, in the Diſcharge of his Duty, in the moſt critical Conjuncture, as our Miniſter at the Court of Vienna, made him known and conſidered Abroad.

March 28. *Two of the Seventy-Gun Ships arrived at Kinſale, deſtined for the Eaſt-Indies, had the Misfortune to run aſhore on the Iriſh Coaſt, and though they were got off, received ſo much Damage, that they muſt be docked.*

'Tis ſaid, that Orders are given for two Men of War to ſail for Ireland, to replace the above two Ships.

The laſt Advices from Naples aſſure us, that the Syſtem of Politicks purſued in that Kingdom has acquired of late a much ſtronger Conſiſtence than it had formerly, or than even the moſt intelligible Politicians thought practicable. The Court takes its own Meaſures ſecretly, and ſupports them with Firmneſs. The new Treaties of Commerce have had a very perceptible and pleaſing Operation, the Land Forces are already augmented to a reſpectable Degree, and the Improvement of the Marine, will follow in due Time.

Some private Letters mention, that the King adheres ſteadily to his Maxim of encouraging the Introduction of new Arts, new Manufactures, and new Improvements of every Kind, cauſes the Projects relating to them to be examined in his own Preſence, and ſpares no Pains or Expence to overcome ſuch Difficulties as embarraſs all Undertakings of this Kind in their Infancy.

This Day Col. Cornwallis, and Sir John Croſs, were unanimouſly nominated to repreſent the City of Weſtminſter in the enſuing Parliament.

A Gentleman of great Fortune is expected from Jamaica ſoon. The Manner of his coming is remarkable for being the moſt expenſive of any that ever has yet been; he has paid the Freight of a whole Ship for himſelf and Retinue, which amounts to 1200 l. and will not ſuffer any other Cargo to be put on board, not even a Hogſhead of Sugar.

March 29. *We are ſtill aſſured that his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle, will continue Firſt Lord Commiſſioner of the Treaſury.*

That Mr. Legge, Lord Dupplin, Lord Barnard, and Mr. Nugent, are appointed Lords of the Treaſury; and the firſt of theſe Gentlemen, Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Sir George Lyttleton, is appointed Cofferer to his Majeſty's Houſhold.
George Grenville, Eſq; Treaſurer of the Navy.
John Campbell, Eſq; Lord Lyon, King at Arms for Scotland.
Charles Townſhend, Eſq; one of the Lords of the Admiralty.

Lord

Lord Hillsborough, Comptroller of the Houſhold.

Richard Edgcombe, Eſq; a Lord of Trade and Plantations.

March 30. *Thomas Pitt, Eſq; Member of Parliament for Oakhampton, is appointed Governor of South-Carolina.*

Two Men of War are ordered to join the Sloops of War appointed to go to the Weſt-Indies, for a further Protection of the Britiſh Settlements in thoſe Parts.

From Peterſham, we hear, a Tradeſman of that Place, a Widower, after coming from Church, ſent for a Parſon, and with his Son and Apprentice, were married to three young Women with one Ceremony.

The Right Honourable Lord Barrington, is appointed Maſter of the Wardrobe to his Majeſty, in the Room of Sir Thomas Robinſon; and Thomas Pelham, Eſq; is appointed one of the Lords of Trade and Plantations.

Yeſterday it was reported that the Right Hon. the Earl Gower, had reſigned the Office of Lord Privy Seal.

And that his Grace the Duke of Marlborough, was appointed Lord Privy Seal in his Lordſhip's Room.

Private Letters from Paris adviſe, that ſeveral Batallions are on their March to the Sevennes to ſuppreſs an Inſurrection of the Inhabitants, who had lately a ſmart Skirmiſh with a Detachment of the Marechauſſé, in which ſeveral were killed on both Sides.

According to ſome private Advices from Berlin, his Pruſſian Majeſty ordered all the Country People of the Dutchy of Sileſia to repair to the Towns; where the ſtouteſt Fellows were picked out, in order to form ſome new Regiments.

The Spaniards have conſiderably reinforced the Garriſons of their Frontier Towns on the Side of Portugal.

His Portugueſe Majeſty has commanded all the Officers of his Forces to join their Regiments in the Space of Twenty Days on Pain of being caſhier'd. And the Colonels have received Orders to complete their Regiments with all Diligence.

April 2. *This Day there was a Council at St. James's on extraordinary Affairs.*

This Morning the Marquis of Hartington ſet out Poſt for Derby on ſome extraordinary Affairs.

We hear, that the Right Hon. Sir Conyers D'Arcey, who has been for many Years Comptroller of his Majeſty's Houſhold, has reſigned that High Office; and that Lord Hilſley will ſucceed him.

We hear, that Sir Richard Wrotteſley, Bart. Son-in-Law to Earl Gower, has reſigned his Place of one of the Principal Clerks of his Majeſty's Board of Green Cloth.

The Apartments of the Royal Family at Greenwich, it is ſaid, will ſhortly undergo ſome Repairs, from whence it is concluded, that ſome Perſon of Dignity is expected; and ſome go ſo far as to name his Serene Highneſs the Stadtholder, for the grand Perſonage.

Laſt Saturday, the Right Hon. the Lord Chancellor kiſſed his Majeſty's Hand upon his being created Earl of Hardwicke, Viſcount Royſton, and Baron of Hardwicke; upon which his Son the Hon. Mr. Philip Yorke, receives the Title of Viſcount Royſton.

Lord Bernard is created Earl of Darlington.

We hear, that his Grace the Duke of Rutland, will be appointed Lord Steward of his Majeſty's Houſhold, in the Room of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough.

We hear that John Campbell, Eſq; one of the Lords of the Treaſury, has reſigned.

April 3. *The King has been pleaſed to appoint Philip Anſtruther, Eſq; Lieutenant General of his Majeſty's Forces, to be Governor of Kinſale and Charles Fort, in Ireland, in the Room of Col. Robert Fraſer, Deceaſed.*

April 4. *Monday a young Officer of the Army was carried before Juſtice Cox, and convicted of ſwearing eight Oaths, and was obliged to pay Five Shillings for each Oath, beſides a Shilling for Conviction.*

WILLIAMSBURG, May 9.

When all the Forces now ordered to the Ohio, from this, and the neighbouring Governments, are arrived, they will make up about 1100 Men, beſides the Aſſiſtance we expect from Pennſylvania, Maryland, South-Carolina, &c. and a great Number of Indians that are ready to join us.

ANNAPOLIS, May 16.

Yeſterday a Vote paſſed the Lower Houſe of Aſſembly, for granting 3000 l. towards the preſent Expedition; and 500 l. for a Preſent to be made the Indians, at the Treaty to be held at Albany next Month.

BOSTON, May 13.

Extract of a Letter from London, dated March 19, 1754.

"*Jonathan Belcher, Eſq; Son of his Excellency Governor Belcher, is appointed Chief Juſtice, of Nova-Scotia, with a Salary of Five Hundred Pounds Sterling per Annum, and is expected here from Ireland very ſoon, to embark for that Place.*"

We hear that Capt. John Rouſe is appointed Commander of his Majeſt's Ship Succeſs of 20 Guns, ſtationed at Nova-Scotia.

By Capt. Inches in 33 Days from St. Kitts, we are informed, that on the 8th of April laſt, in Lat. 21. being then in Sight of Anguilla, in 15 or 16 Fathom Water, between Twelve and One a Clock at Night, he was greatly ſurpized by the ſudden trembling and ſhaking of his Ship, as if ſhe had run upon a Rock, which he concluded was occaſioned by an Earthquake.---That three Days after he met with the Brigatine Duke, of this Port, William Fleet Maſter (bound to Jamaica) who informed Capt. Inches, that about the ſame Time the Duke had the ſame Trembling and Shaking, like the Concuſſions cauſed by the Shock of an Earthquake. The Violence of the Veſſel's Tremor or Agitation was over in the Space of about Half a Minute.

NEW-YORK, May 20.

Capt. Crowell, who was boarded and taken in the Stork Sloop, belonging to Mr. Robert Livingſton, and Brothers, in the Night, Auguſt 12th, 1752, by the Spaniards, in the Bay of Honduras, is arrived Paſſenger with Capt. Griffiths from London. He was travell'd over Land to Campeachy, together with his Mate, and two other Hands taken the ſame Night out of a Brigantine belonging to New-London. The Fleet ſtop'd at the Havannah, where Capt. Crowell, who was in the Commodore's Ship, was kept in Irons by the Commander, an Iriſh Renegado, named Henry Dillon (wo was far more rigorous than the Spaniards themſelves) till upon a Petition to the Commodore, his Irons were ordered to be taken off in the Day Time. From the Havannah the Fleet arrived at St. Andero, near Bilboa, in Old Spain, the 8th of June, 1753, where Capt. Crowell, with one of the Hands of the New-London Brigantine, named Jonathan Edgecomb, were committed to cloſe Priſon, his Mate and the other Hand having, before that, found Means to make their Eſcape.

While they were at St. Andero, an Engliſh Gentleman, who lived with the Britiſh Conſul, at Bilboa, endeavoured to procure their Eſcape, by employing a Prieſt to tamper with the Jaylor; but this being diſcovered the Gentleman was clapt into Irons, and they were more cloſely watched than before, with a Guard of Soldiers. They, however, ſtill projected their Eſcape, and had procured proper Inſtruments; at length an Opportunity offered about Sun-ſetting the 9th of January, 1754, the People being gone out to ſee the Launching of two new 74 Gun Ships. They then got the Jaylor drunk, and made their Eſcape, but had not gone above a 100 Yards from the Priſon, before the Hue and Cry followed them. They hid themſelves in the Hedges, where they lay till Dark under the moſt terrible Apprehenſions, ſeeing the Soldiers that were in Queſt of them paſſing and repaſſing within a few Yards of their Concealment. When they thought the Danger over, they ſet out and travelled through the Mountains, amid the Depths of Snow and all the Rigours of Winter. They were very civilly uſed by the Peaſants of the Country, as they paſſed for Engliſh Ship-Carpenters travelling to Ferrol; a Sett of People which the Spaniſh Policy greatly encourages, ſenſible of the vaſt Advantages of a Marine Force. When Captain Crowell and his Companion got to Gibon, near Cape Ortogal, which is about 140 Miles, they were called upon to give a Specimen of their Carpenter's Skill, being ſet on a Survey of a damaged Veſſel, which they condemned to the general Satisfaction of all Parties. Here they found an Engliſh Veſſel for Plymouth, in which they embarked, but had not ſooner touched Land than they were preſſed into his Majeſty's Fleet bound for the Eaſt-Indies. Crowell ſoon procured his Diſcharge, but Edgecomb was detain'd.

We hear from Fluſhing, and ſeveral other Places on Long Iſland, that laſt Tueſday Se'nnight a very hard Shower of Hail fell in thoſe Parts, which has done incredible Damage; many Fields of Rye quite ruined, and abundance of Glaſs Windows broke, moſt of the Hail-ſtones being as large as Pidgeons Eggs: It is ſaid the Hail was large and plentiful alſo at many Places up the North River, as well as in the Jerſeys: We had the ſame Guſt, with Rain, here, yet not any Appearance at all of the Hail.

On Saturday Night laſt, the 11th Inſtant, a Journeyman Tradeſman and a young Lad, happening to quarrel together near the Meal Market, the Lad ſtabb'd the other with a Knife in the lower Part of his Belly, ſo that Part of his Entrails came out: On a Surgeon's being ſent for the Wound was thought mortal; whereupon the Aggreſſor was next Morning committed to Jail; and we hear the wounded Journeyman is not as yet dead, tho' he lives in a dangerous Condition. 'Tis ſaid the unhappy Quarrel took its Riſe over a Game at Cards in a Tavern.

By a Veſſel from the Virgin-Iſlands we learn, that they had a very hard Shock of an Earthquake at St. Euſtatia, about the 8th or 9th of April laſt; but don't hear that any conſiderable Damage was done by it there.

Cuſtom-Houſe, New-York, Inward Entries.

Sloop Endeavour, D. Mercereau, and Schooner Mary and Sarah, E. Fuller from N. Carolina. Sloop Nancy and Betſey, P. Blonder, Sloop Alethea, John Pearman, and Sloop Abigail, John Taylor from Virgin-Iſlands. Sloop Jenny, W. Brown from New-Providence. Brig Prince George, W. Williams from Barbados. Sloop Peggy, I. Sears from Nevis. Sloop John, S. Tingley from Montſerrat and Anguilla. Brig Three Siſters, G. Guion, and Sloop Delight, D. Seymour from Anguilla. Sloop William and Mary, J. Sawyer from St. Chriſtophers. Sloop Lena, J. Laurence from Lavera-Cruz. Brig Mary-Anne, B. Tanner from Surinam. Snow Unicorn, J. White from Honduras-Bay. Sloop Three Brothers, J. Riven from Madeira. Snow Henry, C. Stewart from Belfaſt. Snow Hull-Merchant, J. Griffiths from London.

Outwards. Sloop Roſe, J. Clark for Philadelphia. Brig Catherine, J. Devereaux, and Sloop Elizabeth and Mary, J. Young for Jamaica. Sloop Endeavour, J. Seymour for Coracoa. Brig Maria, T. Miller for London.

Cleared. Sloop Mary, D. Fenton to South-Carolina. Brig Charming Polly, J. Stevenſon to Antigua. Sloop Anne, P. Dobſon to Coracoa.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.

From the publick Papers by Captain Shirley, we have the following Arrivals, viz.

The St. Andrew, Hood, from Virginia, at Graveſend. The Tryal, Oates, from Boſton, at Hull. The Charming Rachel, M'Cleeve, from New-York, at Dublin. The Rachel, Joy, and Lark, Read, from South-Carolina, at London.

And it is ſaid, that the Captains Muir, Maſon, Arnott, Ewing and Pariſh, are arriv'd at Cowes from South-Carolina.

By the Papers we have likewiſe an Account of the following Veſſels having ſail'd from London, viz. The Sydenham, Wilcox, and the Reſolution, Garret, for Virginia. The Betty, Spencer, for Maryland. The Prince William, Campbell, for Boſton. The Prince George, Boothby, for Piſcataqua. And the Homer, Galatly, for Rhode-Iſland.

The Sarah, Captain Mitchell, was to ſail a few Days after Captain Shirley for this Port; and the Captains Joy and Hamilton were both up for this Place.

Captain Falkner, from Gibraltar, ſpoke with a Brigantine on the Coaſt from New-York for Antigua, that had been out four Days; alſo with a Rhode-Iſlander, bound to Jamaica with Horſes.

We hear from the Weſtern Frontiers on Ohio, that moſt of our Traders, by the friendly Aſſiſtance of the Half King and the other Indians, eſcaped with their Skins and Goods, and did not fall into the Hands of the French, as had been apprehended.

Saturday laſt the General Aſſembly of this Province adjourn'd to the Nineteenth of Auguſt; and the Votes of their laſt Sitting are now in the Preſs, and will be publiſhed the Beginning of next Week.

We hear that the Myrtilla, Captain Marſden, will ſail on Thurſday next for London.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, INWARD ENTRIES.

Brig Prince of Wales, Henry Jones from St. Kitts.
Brig Lark, Robert Gardiner from Barbados.
Brig Pearl, Thomas Griffitts from Briſtol.
Brig Jenny, Alexander Magee from Liverpool.
Brig Greyhound, Leſter Falkner from Cadiz.
Brig Rebecca, Walter Rench from Jamaica.
Ship American, Fenwick Lyell from Barbados.
---- Eagle, James Brown from Leoganne.
---- London, James Shirley from London.
Sloop William, Black Bunker from Virginia.
Sloop Richard, John Thompſon from Providence.
Sloop Alice, Thomas Godfrey from Virginia.
Sloop Oxford, Thomas Porter from Maryland.
Sloop Mary, John Oldfield from North-Carolina.
Snow Bridget, Alexander Catherwood from Liverpool.
Snow Horner, John Keene from Sal Tortuga.

OUTWARDS.

Ship Beulah, John Ritchie for Cork and Liverpool.
Sloop Albert and James, John Ryan for Virginia.
Brig Ann and Mary, John Harriſon for South-Carolina.
Schooner Walter, John Farr for Maryland.
Brig Lark, Robert Gardiner for Jamaica.
Sloop Free-Maſon, George Briggs for Boſton.
Sloop Dolphin, William Morton for Ditto.
Snow Meliſent, John Cotton for Barbados.
Ship Nelly, James Gibbon for Halifax.
Sloop Aurora, William Higgs for St. Kitts.
Sloop May-Flower, John Dupleſe for Jamaica.

CLEARED.

Brig Rebecca, Daniel England to Barbados.
Sloop Two Brothers, Paul Bunker to Nantucket.
Snow Ann, John Sibbald to Madeira.
Sloop Patience, Newell Harris to North-Carolina.
Sloop Dolphin, William Morton to Boſton.
Schooner Walter, John Farr to Maryland.
Sloop Free-Maſon, George Briggs to Boſton.
Sloop Albert and James, John Ryan to Maryland.

Juſt publiſhed, and to be ſold by the Printers hereof,
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SERIOUS CONSIDERATIONS on the PRESENT STATE of the AFFAIRS of the NORTHERN COLONIES.

Imported in the laſt ſhips from Dublin and Liverpool, and to be ſold on very reaſonable terms by

JOHN MAXWELL NISBITT,

At his ſtore, oppoſite the ſign of the Bible, in Front-ſtreet,

A Neat aſſortment of 7-eights and yard wide Iriſh linens, linen and cotton checks, ſtriped cottons, fuſtians, ſilk handkerchiefs, &c. ¶

Juſt imported in the laſt ſhips from Briſtol, and to be ſold by

WILLIAM FISHER,

In Water-ſtreet, where Samuel Hazard formerly lived,

FOur penny, 8d, 10d, 12d and 20d nails, hob and trunk ditto, ſpikes ſorted, ſtock locks of ſundry ſizes, cheſt and cupboard locks, thumb latches, braſs nob ditto, cloſet and draw locks, ſpring bolts, coffin handles, ſplinter locks, ſnuffers, ſleeve buttons, cabbin box locks, ink-pots, gimblets, ſnuff boxes, ſhoe ſet buckles, H and HL hinges of ſundry ſizes, baſtard files, ſhoe rafps, hand-ſaw files, hand-ſaws, hammers, ſuperfine wire, awl blades, pegging ditto, ſhoemakers hammers, headed chiſels ſorted, bottled beer, crates of earthen ware, ſtriped duffils, mens and boys felt hats, men and womens gloves, men and womens ſtockings, caps, ſtocking breeches, fine durants, hair pluſh, brown rolled calicoes, china blue printed linen, an aſſortment of Iriſh linens, cheeſe-cloth, writing paper, womens ſhoes, duroys, ſaggathies, German ſerge, ſtriped linſey, ſilk and hair buttons, twiſt, ſhaloons and tammies, boxes of pipes, Glouceſter cheeſe, crates of viols and glaſs ware, crown window glaſs, quart bottles, caſks of raiſins, Briſtol ſteel, iron-pots, waggon boxes, grind-ſtones, Lubeck duck, an aſſortment of ozenbrigs, F FF quarter caſks of gunpowder, 3 qr. 7-eights, yard-wide and yard 3-eights cotton and linen checks, princes linen, Flanders bed-tick, 3-qr. ticking beſt dye, nempen ruſſia linen, Iriſh ſheeting, clouting diaper, tandem garlix, buns holland, humhums, coſſaes, tanjebs, lawn and cambricks, in pieces and patches, India and Engliſh taffeties, bandanoes, Scots linen handkerchiefs, broad and narrow tape, nonſopretties, nun thread, pins, a neat aſſortment of broad-cloths, in ſuits and pieces, London ſhaloons, buckram, fine boil'd camblets, calimancoes, nutmegs, ginger, bohea and beſt hyſon tea, ſhot, &c. &c.

ALL perſons indebted to the Eſtate of *THOMAS LAWRENCE*, Eſquire, deceaſed, are deſired to make ſpeedy Payment: And thoſe who have any Demands againſt the ſaid Eſtate, to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjuſted by THOMAS LAWRENCE, JOHN LAWRENCE, and MARY LAWRENCE, Executors.

To be SOLD,

A Small plantation, in the townſhip of Benſalem, where Thomas Barrow formerly lived, lying between the lands of William Duncan, and lands of William Ridge, containing about 90 acres, about 40 whereof is cleared, and in good fence; there is a good dwelling houſe upon it, and a well of good water. Alſo a tract of about 73 acres of land in the ſame townſhip, lying between William Duncan's and Patrick Duncan's, about 30 whereof is cleared, and in good fence, and will be ſold together or ſeparate. Alſo ſeveral Negroes, of different ages, by

LAWRENCE GROWDON.

To be ſold, on Friday, the 31ſt inſt. at five a clock in the afternoon, at the Widow Jones's Coffee-houſe, in Second-ſtreet, by Charles Willing, executor of the eſtate of Thomas Lloyd, deceaſed,

ONE fourth part of the ſhip American, Fenwick Lyell maſter. The ſaid ſhip is a new well built ſhip (having made only one voyage in ten weeks to and from Barbados) is well found, and fitted with new materials. An inventory may be ſeen at the place of ſale, at Charles Willing and Son's ſtore, in Front ſtreet, or on board ſaid ſhip, now lying at James Reynolds's wharff, where ſhe may be viewed at any time.

For SOUTH-CAROLINA, directly,

The BRIG,
ANN and MARY,
JOHN HARRISON,
Maſter.

For Freight or Paſſage, apply to *William Fiſher*, or ſaid Maſter on board, at Edward Warner's wharff.

For BARBADOS directly.

The Snow HORNER,
JOHN KEEN maſter,
Has great part of her cargo ready, and will ſail in fifteen Days. For freight or paſſage, apply to Charles Willing and Son, or ſaid maſter at Lloyd's wharff. Alſo to be ſold by ſaid Charles Willing and Son, A choice aſſortment of European and India goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon; old Madeira wine, and good Engliſh beer.

May 23, 1754.

JOHN STANALAND, Stone Cutter,

Is removed from his Freeſtone Quarry, in Roxborough, to Philadelphia, near the Engliſh Church, in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite to Mr. Whitebread's,

WHere all perſons may be ſupplied with the various kinds of freeſtone work as uſual, both in regard to cutting and letting; ſuch as ſteps for doors, window caſes, door caſes, battlements, pediments, &c. they may be ſupplied with the ſaid ſtone for all ſorts of fire-works; and as the ſaid ſtone is found, by ſome late trials, to endure the moſt vehement fire much better than any other ſtone or clay that has hitherto been made uſe of in this part of the world, he will (in order to encourage the ſale of large quantities) cut the ſaid ſtone into any ſhape or ſize, as may ſuit the purchaſers, on the loweſt terms. Any perſon that ſhall have occaſion of ſaid ſtone work, may apply to the ſaid Stanaland, in Philadelphia aforeſaid, or to Edward Harding, at the ſaid Freeſtone Quarry. ¶

JUST imported in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold very cheap, for ready money or ſhort credit, by WILLIAM CLAMPFFER, at his ſtore in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite to William Branſon, A neat aſſortment of Eaſt-India and European goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon. Likewiſe a parcel of very good ſilver watches. ¶ 5s. Thief.

GARRAT NOEL, BOOKSELLER,

At the Sign of the Bible, in Dock-ſtreet, NEW-YORK,

HAS juſt imported a curious Aſſortment of Books, among which are the following: Lord Orrery's Life of Dean Swift, Octavo Edition, Fordyce on Preaching, neweſt Edition, Every Man his own Lawyer, Univerſal Hiſtory, 20 Vols. Orrery's Letters of Pliny the Younger, 2 Vols. Age of Lewis XIV. 2 Vols. Hughes's Natural Hiſtory of Barbados, Folio, ſuperfine Cuts, a choice Parcel of Plays, bound or ſingle.

*** Catalogues of the Particulars to be ſeen at Mr. Biddles at the Indian King, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia.

The MEMBERS of the
St. ANDREW's SOCIETY,

ARE deſired to attend their Quarterly Meeting, on Friday, the 31ſt inſt. May, preciſely at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Aſſembly Room, on Mr. Hamilton's Wharff.

ALEXANDER LUNAN, Secretary.

CHoice mackrel, Barbados rum, ſugar, melaſſes, and Pennſylvania rum, to be ſold by WILLIAM CLARK, Water-ſtreet, a little below the Draw-bridge, and oppoſite Powell's wharff.

Best possible image.

JUST imported in the ship London, Capt. Shirley, from London, and to be sold by RANDLE and ALEXANDER MITCHELL, at their store in Water-street, near the Tun Tavern, between Walnut and Chestnut-streets, An assortment of European and East-India goods, suitable for the season.

N. B. THIS is to give notice to all persons indebted to Randle Mitchell, or Randle and Alexander Mitchell (without exception of persons) upwards of three months, that they discharge their respective debts before the first of June next, otherwise they may expect to be proceeded against as the Law directs (as Randle intends leaving this province in September next.) And all persons who have any just demands against them, are desired to bring in their accounts, that they may be settled and paid.

ANN SCOTTON,

In Front-street, next door to Mr. Read's, Baker, and opposite Dr. Sonman's,

GRAFTS stockings of all sorts, whether silk, cotton, or worsted, in the neatest manner; likewise neatly runs stockings at the heels, and makes childrens stockings, and also muffatees.

Just imported from London, in the London, Capt. Shirley, and to be sold by

MATHEW CLARKSON,

At his store in Arch-street, near Front-street, cheap for ready money, or short credit,

IRish sheeting, fine cresked do. Irish linens, whited brown dowlas, printed linens, flaxen and hempen ditto, hessens, crown and sprig linens, half ell canvas, princes linen, cotton and linen checks, bed bunts, ticklenberg, Scotch linen handkerchiefs, cotton and linen hollands, long lawns, packets and patches of clear lawns and cambricks, demy cambricks, clouting diaper, 7-eights and yard-wide garlix, Flanders bed-ticks, tandem silesias, fringed diaper table-cloths, flower'd German lawns, dy'd jeans, flower'd sattins, camblets, calimancoes, barrier'd demities, muslins, German serge, printed calicoes, chints, silk and lungee romals, persian and china taffeties, bandanoes, duroys, tammies, shaloons, durants, black and scarlet everlastings, lutestrings, russet and lutestring handkerchiefs, spotted lawns, white and brown buckrams, Dutch pretties, white striped cotton binding, gartering qualities, cotton laces, pins, cruels, mens and womens cotton and thread hose, black, blue, scarlet and cloth colour'd patterns for breeches, mens and womens whips, buttons and mohair, a neat assortment of pictures in frames, ivory and horn combs, Holman's ink-powder, mens and womens gloves, baladine sewing silk, paduasoy and sattin ribbons, ferrits, colour'd and Scots thread, bobbin, tape, writing paper, roll brimstone, GB wool cards, nails, steel, Weston's snuff, long and short pipes, Cheshire cheese, nutmegs, cinnamon, mace and cloves, playing cards, knitting-needles, common and White Chapel needles, necklaces, single loaf sugar, brass shoe buckles, Philadelphia patern breast buttons, stag handle and buck penknives, cuttoes, knives and forks, scissars, taylors shears, razors, brass ink pots, womens and taylors thimbles, jews-harps, steel snuffers, chisels, carpenters and lathing hammers, gimblets, gouges, an assortment of pewter, &c. tbc. 6 w

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Lancaster County, ss.

The ADDRESS *of the* GRAND INQUEST *for the Body of this County,*

To the JUSTICES *of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held for the said County, the first Tuesday of May*, 1754.

May it please your WORSHIPS,

IT is not without considerable concern that we are under a necessity to lay before you the complaints of sundry persons, concerning the great abounding of Immorality in this borough.

It has been represented to us, that it is the common practice of Waggoners to drive thro' this town on the Sabbath Day, they thinking it no offence to do so, providing the sun is set; which, to us, appears a manifest breach of the Fourth Commandment. As likewise the constant custom of Barbers shaving and attending their customers on said day. This latter offence was laid before the Burgesses, who did (in order to suppress it) agree that a fine of Twenty Shillings should be laid on any Barber who should be found guilty of the same. This act was proclaimed publickly by the cryer through this borough, and was observed for a small space of time; but we are informed that the like irregularities are again practised, without any notice taken of it, by those who ought to suppress it. However trivial these things may appear to some, yet to us they appear very criminal, and highly provoking to GOD; and if those who are in authority, who ought to be terrors to evil doers, do not use their utmost efforts to suppress such profane and irreligious practices, we are humbly of opinion, that this place will lie exposed to the Divine Resentments. We may venture to say, that these practices lie before your worships to take cognizance of, and pray that they may not escape your notice, and that you would exert yourselves to root out scandalous and prophane doings.

We are concerned to hear so universal complaint through the county, about a Dancing School, kept for some time in our Court house, and the surprizing methods which were taken to obtain it, that some of our magistrates should be so impos'd on, when their consent was requested, by desiring the use of the Court-house, only as a place to teach the Mathematicks; which, when obtained, was used for a Dancing school; and that when our commissioners understood what use it was put to, and demanded the key, were answered they should not have it, but that they would make use of it, for that they had the consent of the justices. We think such usage is very hard, and that those who encourage such schools, are greatly to blame. We are sensible that damage has been done to the Court-house by it, the cieling being broke down, and the windows shattered and broken, which we think will be hard that the Country should pay for repairing; but that rather the Encouragers and promoters of the Dancing-school, should discharge the expences.

We request that the court would take into consideration the above particulars, especially of profaning of the Sabbath-day, and that you would lay such fines as the law directs on those who profane it; and that the key of the Court-house may be delivered to the commissioners, who we think have a right to it, being chosen by the freemen of this county, to repair and keep the same in such necessary order, for the uses intended by law; therefore we are of opinion, that the debarring the commissioners of the privilege of having the Court-house under their care, in order to preserve the same from damage, as well as the requiring them to repair the damage done, are equally a violation of their rights, as well as of the people who have chosen them.

We therefore judge that the damage lately done to the Court-house, is not to be laid to the charge of the commissioners, but, as we before observed, to the encouragers of the Dancing-school, and pray that the court may narrowly inspect into the same, as well as the aforesaid complaints.

John Byers, Foreman, *Daniel Kenly, Thomas Harris, James Simple, William Wilson, William Simonton, Thomas Black, Timothy Shaw, James Walker, John Rankin, John Smith, Robert Taylor, John Montgomery, Arthur Chambers.*

To be SOLD,

A Negro man, a black-smith bred, and can cook for a tavern: Also some mackrel, cod-sounds, and tongues. Enquire of Mr. NICHOLSON, at the sign of Admiral Warren, in Arch-street.

Philadelphia, May 23, 1754.

ALL persons that have any demands against the estate of Ann Hynes, late of Philadelphia, deceased, are desired to bring them in before the tenth of next month, to *Judah Foulke*, administrator.

Wilmington, May 20, 1754.

WHereas several persons, many years past, have taken from the trustees of the Swedish congregation, several lots or parcels of ground, in Wilmington, in the county of New-Castle, by leases for ever, with conditions therein mentioned, for the said tenants, their heirs and assigns, to build on said lots, in a certain time therein mentioned, or said leases to be void, and also paying a yearly rent to said trustees, and their successors, for the same; which time limited for the said buildings, are long since expired, by means whereof many of the said leases are forfeited, and their remains due to the said trustees, a large arrear of rent for the same. And whereas the said trustees did, by leases, lett several other lots or parcels of ground to several persons at the yearly rents therein mentioned, many of which tenants, their heirs or assigns, have neglected to pay the yearly reserved rents, by means whereof there is a large arrear due to the trustees of the said congregation for the premises last mentioned: This is therefore to give notice to the said tenants, their heirs or assigns, and to all persons claiming a right to the several lots and premises aforesaid, or any part thereof, that unless the several arrears of ground-rent aforesaid be paid without delay, to Henry Colesbery and Andrew Tranberg, the present trustees; and unless the persons that claim a right to those leases, which are void, by the covenants therein not being perform'd, come to Wilmington and renew the said leases with the said trustees, before the first day of August next ensuing the date hereof, that then the said trustees will, without further delay, take such method as the law directs for recovery of the rent and possession of the said premises. *Henry Colesbery, Andrew Tranberg.*

Philadelphia, May 23, 1754.

RUN away on the 12th inst. from the subscriber, living in George-Town, Kent County, Maryland, A likely servant man, about 26 years of age: Had on when he went away, A blue broad-cloth coat, grey colour'd drugget breeches; had with him, two check shirts, and a fine linen ditto, good shoes and stockings, a blue jacket of half-thick, and a red vest, without sleeves. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him in any goal, so as his master may have him again, shall have Five Shillings reward, besides what the law allows, paid by

¶ COLIN FERGUSON.

To be Lett (and enter'd on the first day of July next)

A Brick house, two stories high, containing four rooms, on a floor, with a good dry cellar; there belongs to it a good stable, and lot of ground, fenced in; it is situated in Charles-Town, Cæcil county, Maryland, on the market square, and has been a well accustomed tavern ever since it was built. Also another small house on said square, 24 feet by 18, one story high, and has been accustomed for the baking business. Any person inclining to rent either of said houses, may apply to JOHN KIRKPATRICK, living in Charles-Town aforesaid, and know the terms.

For LONDON,

The SHIP

LONDON,

James Shirley Commander,

Will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage, apply to said commander, or *John Kidd*, and *Abel James*. N. B. Said *Shirley* has for sale a parcel of *Seville* Oranges.

RUN away the 26th of April last, from the subscriber hereof, a servant man, named Hugh M'Mahan, aged about 40 years, and about 5 feet 10 inches high, a great snuffer, a cooper by trade: Had on when he went away, a brown half-worn cloth jacket, a check Shirt, old buckskin breeches, grey yarn stockings, an old felt hat, and wears his own hair. Whoever takes up the said servant, and secures him, so as his master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings reward, paid by me

¶ DAVID SMITH.

N. B. He formerly lived in Philadelphia. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

RUN away yesterday, from David Davis, of Charles-Town, Chester county, a Dutch servant man, named John Adam Merner, about 20 years of age, talks very bad English, about 5 feet high, a well-set fellow, has a down look, pale face, thin lightish beard, never had been shav'd, and wears his own hair: Had on when he went away, an old felt hat, blue ragged coat, little jacket, without sleeves, both of a colour, with Dutch metal buttons, old torn shirt, old leather breeches, the fore-part buckskin, and the hind part sheep-skin, old stockings, and good shoes. Took a parcel of provision, and an old blanket, with him. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so as his master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by DAVID DAVIS.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

To be SOLD, or LETT,

A House and lot or piece of ground in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth upon High-street fifteen feet nine inches, and in length or depth three hundred and six feet, bounded northward with the said High-street, eastward with John Ogden's lot, southward with the back ends of Chestnut-street lots, and westward with the lot of Marcus Kuhl. Enquire of Hannah Pearson, living in said house, or Thomas Say, in Second-street, and know further. ¶

N. B. The said Say has sundry sorts of medicines to sell.

TO be sold, by REED and FURMAN, in Trenton, a likely healthy Negro man, about 24 years of age, has been brought up to country Business; the purchaser may have a reasonable time for payment.

Also to be sold by William Douglas, about 4 miles from Allenstown, two likely young Negro men, who have been brought up to country Business, and a Dutch servant girl's time, who has about four years and a half to serve. Any Person inclining to buy any of the above mentioned servants, may know the terms by applying to either of the owners. ¶

PATRICK HAMILTON, hereby gives notice to all persons who may have occasion to transport themselves, goods, wares, or merchandize, from Philadelphia to Newcastle, or from the latter to the former, that he keeps a convenient boat, which attends on Wednesdays at Hamilton's wharff, Philadelphia, and proceeds to Newcastle on Thursdays, and there gives her attendance on Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays, and proceeds to Philadelphia the Tuesdays following.

Just imported from Liverpool, in the ship Susannah, Moses Rankin Commander, and to be sold by

THOMAS MONTGOMERY,

At Mr. John Stamper's wharff,

A Quantity of English salt, loaf sugar, cheese, potatoes, earthenware, of different kinds; also a parcel of English men and women servants; likewise a good assortment of European and East-India goods, to be sold cheap, by said Montgomery, at his store, near Christine-Bridge.

Imported in the last ships from London, and to be sold by

JOSEPH MORRIS,

At his store, next door to Robert Ragg, at the corner of Black-horse-alley, in Front-Front-street,

WESTON's best Snuff, and a great choice of English and India goods, very suitable for the season. Tbctf.

DANIEL BENEZET is removed from his House in Front-street, to a House in Arch-street, between Front and Second-streets, near the George Tavern, where he hath to sell a neat Assortment of European and East-India Goods. Tbc. 3 Mo.

Just imported from London, in the ship Myrtilla, Capt. Marsden, and to be sold by

JOSEPH OGDEN,

In Chestnut-street, near Second-street, the following goods;

BRoadcloths, saggathies, durants, colour'd fustians, ozenbrigs, yd. wd. and yd. and 3-8ths cotton checks, striped cotton hollands, Irish linen, calicoes, black, blue, and cloth colour'd taffeties, striped, plain, and black persians, grazetts, mens and womens thread stockings, womens black, blue, and grey hair hats, Leghorn ditto, womens white hair bonnets, single silk caps, best balladine silk, women's white and colour'd best kid mits, bordered bandannoes, cotton laces, three yard silk ditto, bone and cocoa stick fans, Scotch thread, colour'd ditto, tapes and bobbin, pins and needles, women's shoes, watch strings and seals, nutmegs, cinnamon, cloves, mace, French indico, knives and forks, pistol cap'd knives, cuttoe ditto, brass handled penknives, brass ink-pots, best white metal coat and waistcot buttons, sleeve buttons, brass shoe and knee buckles, women's brass thimbles, snuff-boxes, ivory combs, carpenters rules, barbers cards and brushes, currying knives, long and short scythes, duck shot, blue and white china cups and saucers, wine-glasses, looking-glasses, mens and womens horse-whips, Chambers's dictionaries, and sundry other goods.

Imported in the ship Carolina, Stephen Meinard commander, and the ship Myrtilla, William Marsden, from London, and to be sold cheap, for ready money or short credit, by

JAMES M'CULLOUGH,

At his store in Front-street, where Messieurs Levy and Franks formerly lived, and Mr. George Mifflin lately removed from,

SAil-cloth, No. 1 to 7. FF gun-powder, glaiz'd and unglaiz'd, 3, 8, 10, 12, and 20d nails, shot; durants, tammies, calimancoes, silk venetians, yd. wd. cords, flower'd sattins, an assortment of Scotch thread, yd. and 3-8ths linen checks, ditto cotton, cotton hollands, dy'd fustians, cotton thick setts, blush, black and white half ell persians, cloth and light colour'd sewing silk, assortment of ribbons, ferrits, pins and tape, womens hair hats, brown buckram, printed linen, light and purple ground, sheeting linen, superfine saggathies, silk and hair buttons, fans, China black taffeties, cloth colour'd ditto, Scotch handkerchiefs, silk ditto, pot paper, printed calicoes and chints, 6-qr. muslin, ell-wide ditto, yard-wide ditto, childrens pumps, womens shoes, demy cambrick, demy 7-eights clear lawns, tandem, tandem garlix, long lawns, Cumberland handkerchiefs, princes linen, Flander's bed-ticks, Dutch pretties, sealing wax, snuff boxes, ozenbrigs, ticklingburgh, hessen, childrens spotted hose, mens and womens ditto, double and single silk caps, Turkey oil stones, assortment of Irish linen, clouting diaper, ell-wide black persian, striped ditto, brimstone, copperas and allom, yard-wide tanjebs, cotton romals, plain and flower'd bandanoes, tea and cinnamon, 3-qr. linen check, pepper, assortment of pewter, iron mongery, and sundry other goods suitable for the season.

CHARLES DUTENS, jeweller, from London, at the sign of the Ring and Dove, near the Indian King, in Market-street, Philadelphia, Gives notice to all gentlemen, and ladies, that he has lately imported from London, by the Beulah, Capt. Ritchie, and by the Myrtilla, Capt. Marsden, a large parcel of the best paste and Bristol stone buttons set in silver, for jackets and sleeves, stone buckles, solitairs, rings and ear-rings of all kinds and prices; as also a parcel of Sterling plate, being silver snuff-boxes, at choice, gilded within, and chased on the top, silver tea-spoons, punch-ladles, tea-tongs, of the newest fashions, silver-top, steel-top, and open top'd thimbles, silver chains for tea-pots, pincoushens, sciffars, and for watches, silver plate buttons, silver stay-hooks, stone ditto, coral necklaces, whistles and Bells, tortoishell buttons, mounted with silver loop and roset, for coat, jacket and breeches, &c. at very reasonable rates. Said Dutens continues to make and repair mourning rings, with either white or black enamel: He has very neat patterns imported for buckles, and all sorts of jewels; and undertakes in his shop all kind of gold and silver work, chased or otherwise. Those that will be pleased to honour him with their custom, may depend on being faithfully serv'd, and have their work made after the neatest and newest fashions as done in London.

N. B. He gives ready money for diamonds, old gold and silver, or takes it in exchange for work. †

Just imported in the ship Carolina, Capt. Meinard, from London, and to be sold by

JOHN and JOSEPH SWIFT,

At their store in Water-street, opposite Carpenter's wharff, the following goods, viz.

CHints of several sorts, a great variety of calicoes and printed linens, ribbons of sundry sorts, bandanoe and culgee handkerchiefs, long lawns, clear lawns, in pieces and patches, cambricks, ozenbrigs, yard, 3-qr. 7-eights and 6 qr. wide checks, Irish linens, tandems, yard and 7-eights wide garlix, dowlas, princes linen, hempen and flaxen russia, white and brown russia sheeting, russia drillings, ravens duck, russia duck, GB wool cards, long and short Pennsylvania scythes, an assortment of sadlery, blue and green hair-plush, writing paper of several sorts, ink-powder, sealing-wax, mens and womens worsted and cotton hose, clouting diaper, huckaback, blue long cloths, colour'd thread, buttons and mohair, cloth colour'd sewing silk, light and crow colour'd ditto, best superfine silk and hair twist, letter'd gartering, scarlet ditto, quality bindings, white stay-braid and French cord, white and blush colour'd persians, black taffeties, blue, white and cloth colour'd ditto, black India persians, muslins of all sorts, buckram, pistol lawns, Duke handkerchiefs, cotton romals, silk romals, striped cotton linseys, shaloons, durants and tammies, calimancoes, damasks, nuns thread, tapes and bobbin, of sundry sorts, pins and needles, Bath lamb gloves and mitts, silk caps, cutlary, white metal coat and vest buttons, Philadelphia pattern, pocket books, red leather paper cases, dandriff combs, mens and womens brass and steel thimbles, gun-powder, 3, 8, 10, 12 and 20d London nails, handsome sconces, with gilt or finnier'd Frames, bohea tea, castor hats, fine hyson tea in cannisters, blue and white striped cotton hollands, dark striped ditto, coffee mills, back-gammon boxes and dice, plate brushes, fish hooks, kenting handkerchiefs, frying pans, Bristol stone sleeve buttons set in silver, white and black lace, &c. &c. &c. Tbctf.

To be SOLD,

THE lease of a saw-mill for upwards of four years to come, with a plantation of ninety acres of clear land, with two dwelling-houses, stable and orchard, all in good repair, commonly known by the name of Asheton's mill, in Blockley township, three miles and a half from Philadelphia.

Likewise 145 acres of woodland, within a mile of the said mill, in lots of ten, fifteen or twenty acres, as it suits the purchaser; the title is indisputable. For terms of sale enquire of James Coultas, at the Corporation Ferry, or Charles Jenkins, at the Lower Ferry on Schuylkill. Tbctf.

TO be sold, either in the whole, or in parcels, a tract of land, containing 700 acres, situated in the county of Northampton, about 70 miles from Philadelphia, reputed as good in quality as any in this province; 300 acres and upwards of which may, with little expence, be made choice meadow, having plenty of springs, and Mahoning-creek extending through the whole tract; all which is extraordinary well stored with timber of the largest size, and bounded partly by the Moravian settlement, and partly by a large range of vacant land for raising stock. For terms of sale apply to Mr. REDMOND CONYNGHAM, merchant, or JOHN REILY, scrivener, in Front-steeet, where the plan of the premises, and title, which is clear, may be seen. Tbctf.

To be SOLD,

A Likely young servant man's time, by trade a Taylor, who has three years and a half to serve. Enquire of William Scott, in Front-ſtreet. ¶

Notice is hereby given, That

EDWARD BROADFIELD,

Is removed from Bordentown to Trenton,

AND continues to pickle ſturgeon in the ſafeſt and beſt manner, and with more conveniency for the getting the fiſh alive out of the river, than at Bordentown; and perſons who did favour him with their cuſtom laſt year, may depend upon being equally or better ſerved now, being more in his power for the reaſons aforeſaid: And all perſons who ſhall buy to export abroad, if care be taken that the kegs loſe not their pickle, will be warranted to keep good in the hotteſt climate for two years; and all perſons who ſhall have occaſion for preſent uſe, and home conſumption, when they open the kegs, will firſt draw off the pickle below the bung, then take out the head, put the bung in tight, harden the hoops on, put the pickle in, and cloth on the keg, with the head upon that, with a ſmall weight thereon to keep the air out, and you may preſerve the fiſh as long as you pleaſe. The ſaid fiſh are to be ſold by no other perſons than George Spafford, in Water-ſtreet, the corner of Cheſtnut-ſtreet, or ſaid Broadfield, at Trenton.

N. B. Whereas one William Pancoaſt, of Bordentown, the laſt ſeaſon, having my brand at his houſe, branded a parcel of kegs with the ſaid brand, which has given me great reaſon to believe it was done with an intent of impoſing his fiſh for mine, therefore I have thought proper to inform the publick, that they might not ſuffer by ſuch a deceit; and if the ſaid William Pancoaſt ſhall be prov'd to offer any of the ſaid kegs, in my name, to ſale, or any other perſon for him, will be proſecuted as the law directs.

¶ Tbc. 3 M.

To be ſold by

STANDLEY and HUGHES,

On Carpenter's wharff,

INdian corn, Weſt-India rum, New-England and Philadelphia ditto, muſcovado and loaf ſugar, exceeding good melaſſes, mackrel, coffee, chocolate, rice, tea, pepper, allſpice, raiſins, ginger, beſt French indigo, myrtle-wax, firkins of butter, good bar iron, wholeſale or retail, hair ſieves by the half dozen, lamp-black, blubber, boxes of pipes, crates of ware, potatoes by the ſcore or buſhel, cyder by the barrel, braziletta, hogſhead heading and ſtaves, barrel ſtaves, cedar boards and ſhingles, red cedar logs for ſawing, and ſundry other things.

Imported (chiefly in the laſt ſhip) from London, and to be ſold by

ISAAC JONES,

At his ſtore in Arch-ſtreet, at the corner of Moravian-alley, the following goods, viz.

A Good aſſortment of fine and low priced calicoes, chints, ſtampt cottons and linens, dark ſtriped cotton hollands, colour'd fuſtians, Iriſh ozenbrigs, hempen and flaxen ſprig linen, Ruſſia linen, brown and white roles, dowlas, garlix, princes linen, ſail duck, bed-ticken in pieces, ghentiſh and brown ſheeting, cotton furniture for beds, 3 qr. 7-8ths and yd. wd. Iriſh linen, 3 qr. 7-8ths and 6 qr. check linen, long, broad, clear and piſtol lawns, clouting diaper and table-cloths, muſlins, cambricks, bag and gulix holland, demities, white jeans, ginghams, bengals, ſuperfine printed cambrick and long lawn handkerchiefs, brown and white buckram and ſtay canvas, Engliſh and India black, light and cloth colour'd paduaſoys, damaſks, ſattins, ſtriped, black, bluſh and cloth colour'd Engliſh and India perſians, black, light and cloth colour'd taffeties, white tabby, mantua, white ſarſnet, black alamode, ſtriped luteſtring, bordered and plain bandanoes, and variety of other ſilk handkerchiefs, men, women, boys and girls thread, cotton, yarn, worſted and ſilk hoſe, muffatees, double and ſingle ſilk, worſted and cotton caps, mens velvet ditto, Bath lamb gloves and mittens, ivory and horn combs, nutmegs, mace, cloves, ſhort cloaks, corking, middling and ſmall pins, Whitechapel, ſquare, darning and common needles, garters, braſs and iron thimbles, diaper, holland, Manchefter and cotton tapes, bobbins, Nuns, Scots and colour'd threads, nonſopretties, watch-ſtrings and keys, mohair and metal buttons, twiſt and cord, broad and narrow worſted and ſilk qualities, broad and narrow ferrits, white ſtay-cord and galoon, wove ſilk breeches patterns, broad and narrow paduaſoy ſattin and taffety ribbons, white, light and cloth colour'd baladine ſewing ſilks, black lace, gauze and white edging, ſilk, cotton, ferrit and thread laces, wire and mould ſhirt buttons, ſaddle and ſhoe orris, paper and gauze fans, ſteel hoops, ink-powder, parchment; ſuperfine and coarſe broadcloths, ſtampt cloths, worſted and ſilk ſagathies, fine Bruſſels camblet, hairbines, double and ſingle black and cloth colour'd alopeens, black bombazeens, ſhaloons, tammies, pink and cloth colour'd durants, black, pink, ſaxon, white and cloth colour'd calimancoes, corded poplins, white and black plain and flower'd ruſſels, ſingle and double worſted damaſks, florets, ſuperfine cloth colour'd and black crapes, camblettees, blue duffils, halfthicks, ſcarlet flannels, ſerge, plad, hair pluſh, rugs and blankets, braſs and copper teakettles and warming-pans, copper chafing-diſhes, copper coffee and chocolate-pots, bell-metal ſkillets and kettles, braſs flour and pepper-boxes, ſkimmers, ſnuffers, copper jugs, mugs, ſaucepans and boilers, braſs beer and racking cocks, braſs ſcrew-up, bell-noſe and ſliding candleſticks, ſome pewter, cutlery, ironmongery, &c. &c. &c. ⊕

Juſt imported from London, in the ſhip Nelly, Capt. Gibbon, and to be ſold reaſonable, by

RICHARD FARMAR,

At the Unicorn, in Second-ſtreet,

A Very large aſſortment of drugs and medicines. Likewiſe Bateman's drops, Britiſh oil, ſpirit of turpentine, phoſphorus, Stoughton's bitters, Daffy's elixir, Hungary-water, Turlington's balſam, Lockyer's pills, Godfrey's cordial, honey-water, hard varniſh, ſagoe, lancets, painters bruſhes, with colours for all ſorts of paintings, &c. ⊕ 10s. Tbctf.

To be ſold by

JAMES CLULOW,

At the Widow Stanley's, in Market-ſtreet,

A PARCEL of red lead, letherage, lead ore, magnet, and crates of earthen ware, very cheap for ready money. §

Juſt imported in the Myrtilla, Capt. Marſden, from London, and to be ſold by

JOHN HEAD, jun.

In Second-ſtreet, nearly oppoſite the Church, the following goods, viz.

A Large aſſortment of 3-qr. 7-eights, yard wide, yard and 3-8ths cotton and linen checks, 7-eights and yard wide Iriſh linen, 3-qr. and 7-eights garlix, hempen and flaxen ozenbrigs, China and Engliſh black and changeable taffeties, ell-wide black and ſtriped perſians, half yard bluſh and crimſon ditto, calicoes and china blue printed linens, a large aſſortment of cambricks and lawns in pieces and patches, 6-qr. muſlin, fine, ſuperfine and low priced broad-cloths, ſhaloons and tammies, ſewing ſilk, white and colour'd threads, tapes and bobbins, double and ſingle taffety, plain and flower'd ribbons, black ferrits, quality bindings, nonſopretties, cotton and linen handkerchiefs, French necklaces, dandriff combs, pins of ſeveral ſorts, London needles, ſquare pointed do. F and FF gun-powder, ſhot and bar lead, a large aſſortment of mens and boys felt hats, batters irons, and moſt ſorts of hat trimmings, bohea tea by the dozen, Weſton's ſnuff, a large aſſortment of cutlary ware, ſilver pattern coat and veſt buttons, pumiceſtone and verdigreaſe, cinnamon and nutmegs, brown and white buckram, &c. Tbc. 2 m.

Imported in the Myrtilla, Capt. Marſden, and other ſhips from London and Briſtol, and to be ſold cheap for ready money or ſhort credit, by

WILLIAM GRANT,

At his ſtore in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite Black-horſe-alley,

BRuſſels, common and narrow camblets, camblettees, ſilk ſagathies, duroys, corded druggets, baragons, tabarets, boulons, everlaſtings, tammies, durants, plain and ſtriped calimancoes, ſilk and worſted plads, grazets, double and ſingle alopeens, red and blue worſted and hair ſhag, Bavarians, crapes, bombazeens, lorains, flower'd ruſſels, Iriſh ſtuffs, ſhaloons, poplins, ſilverets, hair grogram, florettas, double and ſingle worſted damaſk, Turkey burdet, black and light colour'd taffeties, ozenbrigs, ell and yd. wd. ſheeting linen, pomeranias, damaſk table-cloths and napkins, Ruſſia diaper, flaxen and hempen Ruſſia linen, ſilk damaſk, white perſians, white ſarſnet, ſtitching and ſewing ſilk, ſuper ſuper cloths in pieces and ſuits, with linings and trimmings, ſuperfine drabs and coarſer cloths, coating, kerſeys, halfthicks, blue and red bays, duffils, ſtriped and plain blankets, rugs, womens cloth-colour'd and ſcarlet ſhort cloaks, ſuper ſcarlet cloths, ſcarlet flannels, white and colour'd fuſtians, flower'd demity, Iriſh linens, tandems, tandem ſileſias, clear and packet lawns, cambricks, flower'd and ſpotted lawns, white and black lace, chints, calicoes, printed linens, figur'd curtain patterns, ſtriped bengals, cotton and linen checks, ſtriped cotton gowns, ſtriped tickings, Flanders ditto, womens ſhoes, white buckram, veſt and ſhirt buttons, ribbons, qualities, gartering, thread, tapes, neat fans, beads, necklaces, buttons and mohair, mens, womens and childrens thread, worſted and cotton ſtockings, worſted patterns for waiſtcoats and breeches, cotton patterns for ja[illegible], ſilk and cotton gloves and muffatees, ſail-cloth, nails, p[illegible], ſhot, lead, allom, copperas, flour brimſtone, apothecaries dr[illegible], window-glaſs of different ſizes, pewter, long and ſhort pipes, drinking-glaſſes, earthen-ware in crates, womens hoops, bed-lace, umbrelloes, a neat aſſortment of pictures, in and out of frame, maps of the world, paper hangings, writing-paper, ſealing-wax, wafers, blank books, copper tea-kettles and coffee-pots, beſt double tin ware, boxes of childrens toys, horſe-whips, worſted cruels, cotton cards, iron weights, mace, cloves, nutmegs, pepper, fowling-pieces, looking-glaſſes, thread caſes, ſtone buttons ſet in ſilver, watches, mens leather gloves, ivory and horn combs, double refin'd ſugar, vermillion, ſorted pins, Pearſal's meditations, Hewey's ſermons; whip and croſs-cut ſaws, coopers and carpenters axes, broad and narrow hoes, bell-metal mortars, peſtles and ſkillets, iron ſaucepans and ſkillets, frying-pans, grid-irons, ſteelyards, ſcale-beams, ſhovel and tongs, drawing-knives, coopers howels, locks, hinges, braſs joiners furniture, coffee-mills, marking-irons; a large and neat aſſortment of buckles, files, raſps, augers, gouges, padlocks, chiſſels, plain-irons, coat and veſt metal buttons, tobacco and ſnuff-boxes, braſs beer and brandy cocks, ſpring and plain ſnuffers, braſs-link buttons, coffin furniture, chafing-diſhes, bellows, braſs-knob and plain candleſticks, Whitechapel and common needles, plaiſtering trowels, Green's carving tools, knives and forks, four and two feet rules, compaſſes, horſe-locks, hand and tenant ſaws, caulking-irons, ſpades, coopers whittles, ſcupper-nails, tin and ſadlers tacks, tenter-hooks, gun-locks, gimblets, diaper and ſtraining web, ſquare ſtaples, tuft nails, ſilk laſhes, mens and womens ſtirrups, curb bits and ſnaffles, with a variety of ſadlery, &c.

N. B. All perſons indebted to ſaid Grant above ſix months, are once more deſired to pay. Tbctf.

Juſt imported, in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold by

JONATHAN ZANE,

At the ſign of the Crown and Caniſter, in Second-ſtreet, below the Market,

FINE and ſuperfine broadcloths and ſhaloons, buckrams, ſcarf-horn and metal buttons, ſilk and hair twiſt, thread, ſtriped and plain bengals, yd. wd. corded and Venetian poplins, black taffeties, roſſet and linen handkerchiefs, cambricks and lawns in pieces and patches, 7-8, 3-qr. yd. wd. 3-8ths, and 6-qr. cotton and linen checks, ſtrainering, ſprig ozenbrigs, tandem, garlix, cotton and linen ſtripes, nankeens, grandurels, figured and corded demity, ſtitch-diamonds, drawboys, French quilts, cotton gowns, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 10 penny nails, ſad and box-irons, table and cuttoe knives, piſtol and boys cap'd ditto, ſeal penknives, tortoiſe-ſhell, horn, and inlaid lancets, ink-powder, writing paper, key ſwivels, ſpring and plain ſnuffers, ſciſſars, ſnuff-boxes of ſundry ſorts, braſs thimbles, open top ſteel ditto, ivory and horn combs, deſk and drawer furniture, leather and braſs ink-pots, fiſh-hooks, ſpectacles and caſes, knitting and ſewing needles, pins, ſhoe and knee buckles, coffin handles, ſcrews of ſundry ſorts, plate bolts, H L H, cheſt, table, deſk-fall, clock, and book-caſe hinges, thumb-latches, black and tinn'd curry-combs, carpenters and gaugers rules, brick and maſons trowels, locks of ſundry ſorts, gold ſcales and weights, black and ſplinter pads, awlblades and tacks, ſkeets, 2, 3, and 4-penny batt and trunk nails, black and tin tacks, ſhort hobs, files of ſundry ſorts, plain irons, ſorted gouges, ſcribing, heading, and broad chizels, a neat aſſortment of pewter, felt hats, nutmegs, cinnamon, cloves, mace, pepper, ginger, allſpice, rice, tea, coffee, chocolate, flower of muſtard, Hungary water, Britiſh oil, Bateman's drops, Turlington's balſam, Daffy's elixir, aloes, borax, gumarabick, red and white vitriol, ſaltpetre, camphire, cream of tartar, emry, cortex, peru, rad. jallop, ſenna, manna, roll and flour brimſtone, allom, rozin, ſpirit of turpentine, and varniſh, red and white lead, ſpaniſh brown, whiting, ſhot and powder, good ſilver watches, powder-blue, and liquoriſh ball, with ſundry other goods too tedious to mention.

N. B. As ſaid Zane intends to leave the province in the Fall, the purchaſers may depend on being ſupplied at reaſonable rates.

Juſt imported in the ſhip Myrtilla, from London, and to be ſold by

ROBERT and AMOS STRETTELL,

At their ſtore in Front-ſtreet,

BEſt Scotch ſnuff, at Five Shillings per bottle, or Fifty-ſix Shillings per dozen. Alſo to be ſold by ſaid Robert and Amos Strettell, Choice old Madeira wine, new rice, bohea and green tea, nutmegs, beſt London corks, ſtock cards and wool cards, pipes and earthen-ware, Briſtol ſteel, 4d nails, block tin, ingot braſs, copper kettles, rivets, ſheets and bottoms for ſmall and middle ſiz'd work, alſo ſorted, in proper dimenſions, for ſtills of 400, 600, and 1000 gallons, variety of braziery, cutlery and haberdaſhery ware, low priced rugs, worſted hoſe, broad-cloths, duroys and ſhaloons, womens and childrens London made ſtays, and velvet hoods, &c. ozenbrigs, ticklingburgh linens, ſingle and double ſileſias, tandem and nuns hollands, 3-qr. and 7-eights garlix, 7-eights and yard-wide Iriſh linens and browh ſheeting, Ruſſia linen and diaper, ditto and damaſk clouting, fringed table-cloths, cambricks, lawns and muſlins, printed calicoes and chints, cherriderries, ginghams flower'd bandanoes, checks, white and colour'd fuſtians, ſingle and double ſilk caps, cloth colour'd ſewing ſilk, white bluſh and black perſians, white ſarſnet, framed and varniſhed proſpects, ſea pieces, &c. with many other articles not mentioned.

Juſt imported in the laſt ſhips from London, and to be ſold very cheap, for ready money, or ſhort credit, by

SAMUEL PURVIANCE,

At his ſtore in Water-ſtreet, where Mr. George Mifflin, jun. kept, oppoſite Mr. Richard Edwards's,

A Large aſſortment of European and India goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon; as alſo Weſt-India and Philadelphia rum, loaf and muſcovado ſugar, tea, coffee, pepper, allſpice, chocolate, &c. &c.

LAtely imported, and to be ſold for ready money, or ſhort credit, by JOSEPH FOX, in Third-ſtreet, and JOHN COX, at his ſtores, on the South ſide of Market-ſtreet wharff, A large and choice parcel of Fyall Wines. ⊕

TO be ſold (or would be exchanged for a houſe in the city of Philadelphia) A valuable plantation, of 100 acres of land, commonly called Thomas Rutter's place, ſituated in Briſtol township, about half a mile from Germantown great road, near the upper end of Germantown, and back of the country ſeat of William Allen, Eſquire; the ſaid plantation having fine improvements, a good brick houſe, ſtone barn, and two frame tenements, a conſtant ſtream of water, good meadowing that can be water'd; the whole being very well timber'd, having good corn land, and provided with a good bearing orchard of ſundry ſorts of choice fruits, and ſundry Engliſh nut trees and pear trees; the whole very well ſituated to make one or two country ſeats. Enquire of John Rudolph, living on the premiſes. ⊕

EXchanged and taken from the houſe of JOSEPH GALLOWAY, in Market-ſtreet, A new ſuperfine kerſey broad-cloth coat, of a middling drab colour; and left in its ſtead, A half-worn coarſe drab ditto, of a dark brown colour. The Perſon that made the miſtake, is deſired to return it, where he may have his own.

Juſt imported from London, and to be ſold by

SAMUEL CARUTHERS,

At the Sign of the Jack-plain, in Third-ſtreet, between Market and Arch ſtreets,

A FRESH aſſortment of White's ſaws, of all ſorts, including a large aſſortment of hard-ware, peculiar to Carpenters, Joiners, Coopers, &c. &c. †

To be SOLD,

A Servant man, has near four years to ſerve; likewiſe a Negroe man, a tayler by trade, and a Negroe woman, and young child. Enquire of WILLIAM HENDERSON, oppoſite the Indian King, in Market-ſtreet.

To be SOLD,

A Likely Negro man, about 22 years of age, and underſtands plantation work; he hath had the ſmall-pox and meaſles. Enquire of Thomas Wills, of Lower-merion, near John Roberts's mill. §

Imported by the Captains Southcott from Briſtol, Gibbon and Marſden from London, and to be ſold cheap, for caſh, or ſhort credit, by

RHEA and WIKOFF,

At their ſtore near Carpenter's wharff, from whence Mr. John Groves, Merchant, lately removed,

BLack, blue and drab colour'd broad-cloths, black, blue, and ſcarlet everlaſtings, rattinets and ſhaloons, cloth and pink colour'd durants, white, black, blue and cloth colour'd calimancoes, green, blue and colour'd ſilk camblets, black and white bombazeens, ſilk poplins, black, white and cloth colour'd ſattins, broad and narrow camblets, boiled ditto, ſilk hungarians, ſilk and worſted ſagathies, double milled ditto, barragons, black luteſtrings, white ſarſnets, broad and narrow perſians, black and colour'd china taffeties, luteſtring and roſeat handkerchiefs, lungee and ſciteroy romals, boxes of cap lace, cloth, blue and pink colour'd tammies, colour'd pillows, white and cloth colour'd dy'd jeans, plain and figur'd duroys, ivory, bone, cocoa, and black fans, mens and womens gloves and mittens, mens and womens cotton and thread hoſe, 7-eights and yard-wide Iriſh linens, 9-eights ſheeting ditto, white and brown ozenbrigs, 3-qr. dowlas, 3-qr. and 7-eights garlix, 7-eights tandem double ileſias, yard-wide ditto, broad and packet lawns, clear French, ſpotted and flower'd ditto, demy cambricks, long lawns, white, flower'd and plain gauze, pink, purple, and colour'd gimp for ditto, buckrams, clouting diaper, diaper and damaſk table cloths, an aſſortment of calicoes, fine chints patches, grandurels, nankeens, 6-qr. muſlins, napkening huckabacks, white cotton counterpains, culgee handkerchiefs, light and cloth colour'd ſewing ſilks, white three thread ditto, buttons and hair, breaſt and head figur'd ribbons, black and cloth colour'd ſattin and paduaſoy ditto, Scots and colour'd threads, gilt and plain ſconces, double flint glaſs ware in ſmall boxes, felt hats, FF powder, lead, ſhot, and pewter, 8 by 10, and 7 by 9, crown glaſs in half boxes, and an aſſortment of cutlary and hard ware, &c. &c. &c.

BENJAMIN PRICE, ATTORNEY at LAW,

GIVES Notice to all Perſons that may have any Buſineſs with him, That he is removed from Front-ſtreet, to Mr. Joſeph Redman's, over againſt the Market, in Market ſtreet. ‡ Tbc. 6 W.

FOUR POUNDS *Reward.*

RUN away on the 18th of January laſt, from John Ladd, of Glouceſter county, in New-Jerſey, A ſervant Man, named John Armut, or Huckaback, of middle ſize, pale complexion, blind of one eye, it being ſunk in his head, about 28 years of age. Had on, and took with him, A good felt hat, worſted cap, or old wig, an old light colour'd coat, with braſs buttons, without lining, a blue and white linſey woolſey jacket, with one ſleeve blue, half worn leather breeches, ozenbrigs trowſers, two ozenbrigs ſhirts, a homeſpun black and white under jacket, two pair of yarn ſtockings, one pair grey, the other of a dark colour, neats leather ſhoes, almoſt new. He can ſpeak Dutch, but appears to be Iriſh country born; has lived ſeveral years with Thomas Roberts, in about two miles eaſtward from Germantown. Whoever ſecures him ſo as he may be had again, ſhall have Four Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by JOHN LADD.

N. B. He took with him a falling ax. Tbc.

Juſt imported in the laſt ſhip from London, and to be ſold very cheap for ready money or ſhort credit, by

WILLIAM CLAMPFFER,

At his ſtore in Second-ſtreet,

A Neat aſſortment of EUROPEAN and INDIA GOODS.

Juſt imported in the laſt veſſels from Liverpool, and to be ſold by

EDWARD PENINGTON,

At his ſtore, next door to Edward Cathrall's, in Water-ſtreet,

A Large aſſortment of Iriſh linens, and cotton and linen checks, where may be alſo had oil in jars, fine ſalt, white flint and delph ware, with ſundry other ſorts of goods.

All perſons indebted to the ſaid Edward Penington (whoſe Debts are become due) are deſired to diſcharge the ſame. ⊕

Juſt imported in the laſt ſhip from London, and to be ſold by

BELL and LAWRENCE,

At their ſtore in Water-ſtreet, next door to Joſhua Fiſher, and oppoſite Fiſhbourn's wharff,

HEmpen and flaxen ozenbrigs, 7-eights garlix, 3-qr. 7 eights yard-wide, and yard 3 eights linen checks, 7-eights and yard 3 eights cotton ditto, princes linens, pomerania linens, 7-eights Iriſh dowlas, 7-eights and yard wide Iriſh linens, calicoes, printed linens, long lawns, piſtol lawns, cambrick and clear lawns, 6-qr. muſlins, China and Engliſh taffeties, black ſtriped and bluſh ell wide perſians, bandanoes, lungee and ſilk romals, ſhaloons, colivancoes, durants, tammies, ſaggathies, horſe-whips, and ſundry other goods.

To be SOLD,

A LIKELY Negroe Girl, about eleven Years of Age, very handy, and is fit for Town or Country Buſineſs. Enquire at the NEW-PRINTING-OFFICE.

To be ſold by the SUBSCRIBER,

A Negro man, about 30 years old, and a Negro woman, about 21; they are ſold for no fault, the owner having no employment for them. Alſo a houſe to be lett in Fourth-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet. MARCUS KUHL. Tbc. 3 Mo.

[*See the Half-ſheet for the other Advertiſements.*]

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